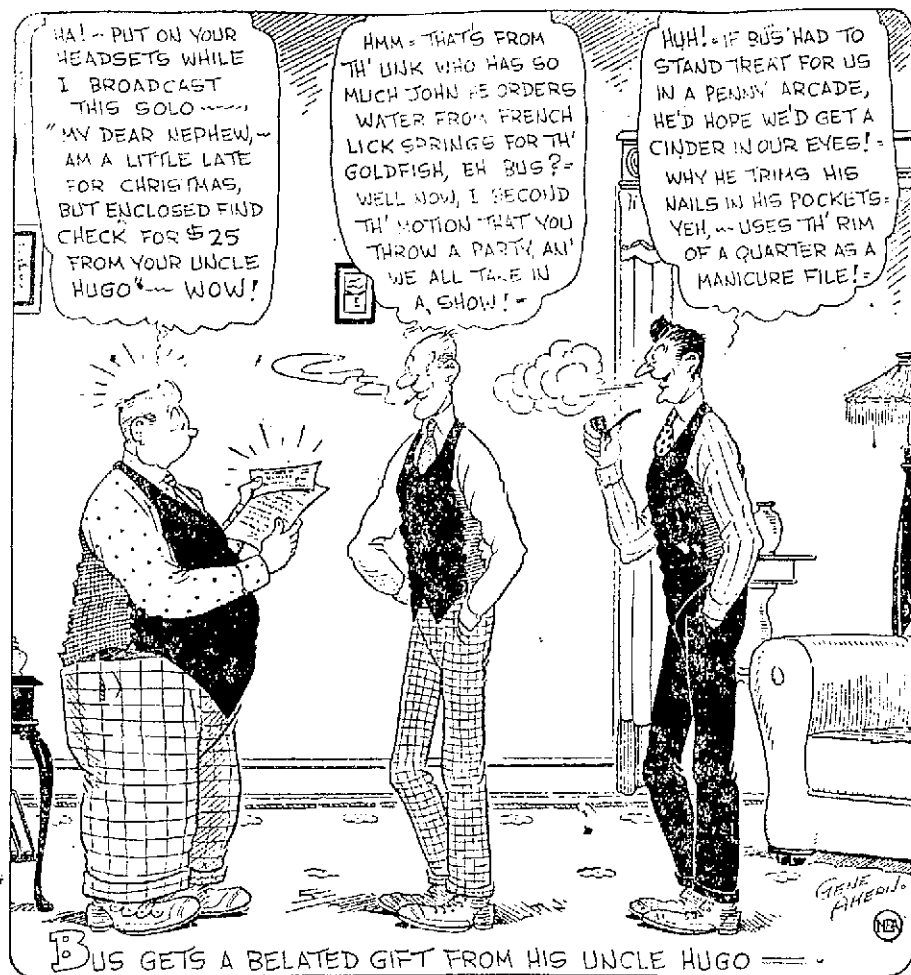




## OUR BOARDING HOUSE



## WHEN BODY WAS EXHUMED

Scene in the Pere Lachaise cemetery, Paris, at exhumation of the body of Philippe Daudet, grandson of the great French poet and novelist, Alphonse Daudet, and son of Leon Daudet, statesman. Philippe was found dead recently and a verdict of suicide was returned, but his father, "convinced" that his boy had been murdered by anarchists, compelled authorities to exhumate the body and hunt for proof of his suspicions. The case may develop into an international scandal. Inset shows Philippe.

## HELD ANNUAL DANCANT "TEA COZY" FOR NEW YEAR'S GIFT IN LIBERTY HALL

The annual dance under the auspices of the Merrimack Valley Undergraduate club of Holy Cross college, was held last night in Liberty Hall Memorial Auditorium, and was largely attended by young members of the social set. The hall was attractively decorated with Holy Cross pennants and royal purple. Music was furnished by Simpson's orchestra of Boston.

The following is a list of patrons and patronesses: Hon. and Mrs. John Jacob Rogers, Hon. and Mrs. Dennis J. Murphy, Dr. and Mrs. Timothy J. Halloran, Dr. and Mrs. Francis A. Fitzgerald, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick J. Crowley, Mr. and Mrs. Michael P. Donohue, Mrs. Margaret E. McDonough, Miss Alice T. Lee, Leo A. King, Thomas A. Glady, Charles D. Foley, Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCarthy, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Ryan, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick J. Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. D. Murray Cummings, Mr. and Mrs. James B. Carmichael, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. O'Hair and Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. Rourke.

The committee in charge of the affair consisted of: Frederick J. Crowley, 23, chairman; Harry L. McDonough, 24; Walter F. Donohue, 25; Edward R. O'Hair, 27.

The officers of the Merrimack Valley Undergraduate association are as follows: Harry L. McDonough, 24, president; William P. Davis, 25, vice president; William B. McLean, 26, secretary; and James E. Cleary, 26, treasurer.

At 6.30 o'clock this evening, there will be a meeting of all local Holy Cross alumni in Marie's restaurant.

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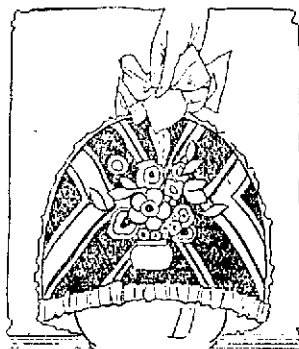
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This puzzling looking article is not a traditional Christmas tree, but a thickly padded tea cozy of bright colored cotton. It is lined with satin and bordered with a double

## DEVENS THEFT CASES GO ON TRIAL TODAY

In federal court in Boston today, before Judge Martin and jury, the eleven men previously arraigned before United States Commissioner Walsh here in connection with Camp Devens storehouse heistings went on trial.

They have pleaded not guilty to robbery or disposal of blankets, shoes, clothing and equipment. The defendants are: The Maltz, Leo Donohue, Harry Meade, Jacob Silarsky, Morris Silarsky, Charles Truett and Joseph Campbell of Ayer; Pasquale Pugliese of Concord Junction; Michael Livorno of Littleton and Louis Gates of Groton. Nine others, indicted, have pleaded guilty and are awaiting sentence. All time are soldiers who were supposedly on guard at the camp. They are in West Cambridge jail pending federal sentence and commitment.

## VISITED CHELMSFORD STREET HOSPITAL

The hearts of the 100 or more inmates of the Chelmsford Street hospital were cheered on Sunday afternoon by the visit made to that institution by the members of the Vesper guild of the Sacred Heart parish with gifts of sweets and useful articles such as handkerchiefs. Under the leadership of Miss Kathie Jennings, pupils were sung to the patients and visits were paid to the different wards with a message of love for Christmas time and the presentation of the gifts. The arrangements for this annual trip are made by the executive committee of the Vesper guild and all members take out to do their part in spreading happiness among the inmates of the hospital. The officers of the guild are: Agnes Kirwin, president; Margaret Linn, vice president; Marcuerite Blackburn, secretary; Blanche Boyle, treasurer.

## FLOWERED BLOUSE

Large flowers of black velvet are appliqued to a white crepe over blouse, which makes it an ideal companion for a black velvet skirt.

## FUR POCKET

A pocket of fluffy white rabbit fur is the only trimming on a chemise frock of black velvet.

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## HUB HOSIERY MILLS PLAN EXPANSION

Lowell branch of the well known Hub Hosiery mills occupying the entire fourth floor of the building at No. 67 Middle street, is planning immediate expansion in order to meet demands for the Lowell product of infants' hosiery of various styles and staple goods.

The Hub products have been popular sellers on eastern dry goods markets for many months and demands are increasing.

Supt. Emil Trudel said today that arrangements are being made to acquire the entire third floor on Middle street for additional machinery, not only because of expanding business, but because of the crowded conditions.

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## GOV. BAXTER NOT TO SEEK RE-ELECTION IN MAINE

AUGUSTA, Me., Dec. 27.—Governor Percival P. Baxter, somewhat unexpectedly today announced that he will not be a candidate for the republican nomination for governor in the primaries next June.

This leaves the field to Mayor Albert R. Dorr, Dr. J. B. Crawford, of Portland, and Senator Ralph C. Brewster, of Portland, who have announced their candidacies for the nomination.

Governor Baxter has one more year to serve. An president of the senate he became chief executive upon the death of Governor Frederick H. Parker in January, 1921.

## ACTIVITIES AT THE GIRLS' CITY CLUB

After a week of extensive preparation which the regular club activities were suspended, announcements were today given out that regular sessions of the Girls City club will be resumed beginning this evening at 7 o'clock when the dance committee will meet with Miss Winifred Welsh presiding. At a meeting of the executive board of the club held at 7 o'clock plans for the coming year will be made.

The annual ball will be held tomorrow, the group of girls leaving the rooms at 11.

This regular initiation dance will be held Saturday evening and will be in the form of a New Year party. The club as well as new club members, together with the gentlemen friends, are cordially invited to attend and it is hoped that all who can will attend as the affair may prove as successful as former events of this kind.

At the supper to be served in the club-rooms on Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock Santa Claus will distribute gifts now hanging from the walls and on the trees. Members wishing to attend the supper are asked to notify headquarters.

Miss Sullivan, president of the club will entertain the members at a New Year party to be held at her home Monday evening and all members are invited to attend.

## INSTALLATION OF DOUBLE RAIL CURVE

No attempt will be made by the street railway company to install the double-rail curve at the corner of Button and Merrimack streets to replace the present single-rail curve and cross-over this winter because of the lateness of the season and the inability of the company to get the necessary special rail at the present time.

Manager McCormick of the street railway company said today that the work would be one of the first jobs done in the spring, however, and should be done inside of a week at the most after work is started.

Employees of the street department are at the present time engaged in cutting back the sidewalk at this corner to widen the distance between the car tracks and the edge of the street to permit automobiles to pass safely over the curve. City Engineer Keegan was in communication recently with Manager McCormick concerning the installation of the double-rail curve and asked that the work be done this winter but, for the reasons given above, Manager McCormick had to refuse his request.

## COMPLAIN AGAINST SLAUGHTER METHODS

The methods used by some residents of the city in the slaughter of hogs have resulted in numerous complaints to the board of health of that town within the past month. Recently, Meat Inspector Hall of Chelmsford and Harrison Baker, representative of the Lowell Humane society, visited several farms where slaughtering was in progress and the latter reports that methods used are barbaric.

An effort is now being made to have these farmers take their hogs to a regular slaughter house, where up-to-date methods of killing are in vogue. If this is not successful, steps will be taken to compel the farmers to kill their animals in such a way that torture will be eliminated.

## PSYCHOLOGISTS AT MADISON FOR MEETING

MADISON, Wis., Dec. 27.—Psychologists representing more than 100 American universities and colleges are here today to attend the opening of the 32nd annual meeting of the American Psychological association. Nationally known psychologists will deliver papers on various subjects of psychological study.

One of the principal topics expected to come before the meeting is that of the classification of psychologists on a plan similar to the division of physicians. Leaders of the association are said to favor such a plan to offset false psychologists, who are said to circulate throughout the country.

## FUNERAL NOTICES

**TETREAULT.**—The funeral of Joseph J. B. Tetreault will take place Saturday morning at 8 o'clock from the home of his sister, Mrs. Joseph E. Janney, 40 Beaver street. A funeral high mass will be celebrated at 9 o'clock at St. Jeanne d'Arc church. Friends are invited to attend. Burial in St. Joseph's cemetery. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers Amodeo Archambault and Sons.

**RILEY.**—Died in this city, Dec. 27, at her home, 22 Baxter street, Mrs. Catherine C. (Crowe) Riley. The funeral will take place Saturday morning from the home, and there will be a solemn high funeral mass at St. Michael's church at 9 o'clock. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. The arrangements are in charge of Funeral Director James W. McKenna Sons.

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## DEATHS

**HAYWARD.**—Rev. Edward Farwell Hayward, pastor of the First Unitarian church of Chicago and author of numerous poems and essays, died at night at his home, 13 Indian park, Chicago, Me. Hayward was born in Puffs college for two years and then studied at Harvard University, where from which he obtained his degree in 1874. He was ordained at Montreal in 1874 and after several years' work in Fall River, became pastor of the Hayes Congregational society in South Boston in 1888. He first went to Chicago in 1888, leaving in 1890 to go to Malboro, and returned to Chicago in 1895. He leaves his wife, Ellen (Cross) Hayward, and two sons, Rev. Laurence Hayward of Northport and Adrian Hayward of Brookfield.

**McNEELY.**—Patrick McNeely, a resident of this city for the past 25 years and an esteemed member of St. Michael's church, died this morning at his home, 22 Baxter street, at the age of 62. He was a well-known member of Division 8, A.O.U., and among his associates he counted a host of friends. He was married to Mrs. Mary McNeely, who survives. He was the father of three children, two sons, Hugh and Philip J. McNeely of this city, and one nephew, Herbert McNeely of Detroit, Mich.

**RILEY.**—Catherine C. (Crowe) Riley, beloved wife of Thomas H. Riley, a well known member of the street department, died this morning at her home, 63 Baxter street, after a long illness. Possessed of a loving, kind and charitable nature, Mrs. Riley was the mother of three children and her family will have the sympathy of a large circle of friends who will mourn her demise. Besides her husband she leaves one daughter, Margaret, and three sisters, Mrs. Martin Downes, Mrs. Bernard Morris and Mrs. Thomas Greeley; also three brothers, Thomas, John and James Crowe, all of this city.

**TETREAULT.**—Joseph J. B. Tetreault, a resident of Lowell for the last four years and previous to that a resident of Lowell for 45 years, died yesterday at St. John's hospital from injuries sustained in a railroad accident. His age was 51 years. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Florida (Pelchat) Tetreault; one son, Jean B. Tetreault; a daughter, Nellie; one sister, Mrs. Joseph E. Janney of this city, and three brothers, Louis of Wilmington, Del., Alphonse of Arcelle, R. I., and Napoleon of Lewiston, Me. The body was removed to the home of his sister, in Beaver street, by Undertakers Amodeo Archambault and Sons.

**ZYLINSKI.**—Stanislaw Zylinski died Tuesday at St. John's hospital, aged 35 years. He is survived by his wife, Catherine (Wieg) Zylinski, and three sons, Stanislaw, Frank and Robert Zylinski. The body was removed to his home, 50 Perry street, by Undertaker Joseph J. Sadowski.

**REID.**—Mary E. Reid, daughter of Warren T. and Agnes E. Reid, died yesterday afternoon at the home of her parents, 21 Epping street, and 1 year and 5 days. Besides her parents, she leaves two brothers, Warren R. and Allen T. Reid.

**APOSTOLAKOS.**—Mrs. Stamata Apostolakis died last night at the Lowell Corporation hospital, aged 32 years. The body was removed to the chapel of Funeral Director Joseph Albert.

**KING.**—The funeral of the late Joseph D. King, a well known and much respected resident, took place this morning at 8:30 o'clock from his home, 67 Barlett street, and was largely attended by a growing number of relatives and friends. The cortege proceeded to the Immaculate Conception church, where at 9 o'clock a funeral high mass was sung by Rev. Owen McQuaid, O. M. I. Among those present at the mass were many of the older residents who know King deceased as they did from his younger days, esteemed him for his upright character and his Christian life. The choir under the direction of Mr. Charles D. Smith rendered the Gregorian chant and the solos were sustained by Mrs. Hugh Walker and Mr. James E. Donnelly. Mrs. Walker presided at the organ. There were many beautiful floral tributes and spiritual bouquets. The bearers were William, Walter, John and Arthur King, nephews of deceased, and William Reardon and Edmund J. Cheney. At the grave Rev. Fr. McQuaid read the committal prayers and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery under the direction of Undertakers James E. O'Donnell and Sons.

**THOMPSON.**—Funeral services for James A. Thompson were held at his home yesterday afternoon. Ancient York lodge, A. F. and A. M., was represented by Albert A. Ludwig, W. M., Arthur E. Dyer, S. W., John H. Preston, J. W., Newell P. Putnam, secretary. Rev. Richard Peters, chaplain, and Edward W. Doolley, marshal, this delegation also took the place of the lodge at the home and grave. Mount Hope Royal Arch chapter was represented by Willard A. Parker and Edward W. Doolley, Filiform Commandery, Knights Templars, was represented by Frank Johnson, Ernest B. Scribner and Elmore L. McPhie. The bearers were A. S. Adams, J. R. Thompson, Dr. William R. Thompson and A. R. Thompson. Burial was in the family lot in Oak Grove cemetery, Methuen, under the direction of Undertaker Hiram C. Brown.

**MISTEL L'ECCLA.**—The funeral of Sister Lucilla took place this morning from the chapel of the Sisters of Notre Dame at 9 o'clock. Solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. John J. McGarry, O. M. I. Rev. Joseph A. Supple, sub-deacon, and Rev. Thomas J. McDonough, master of ceremonies. The choir under the direction of Mr. Michael Johnson sang the Gregorian mass. Mrs. Frances Tiche, Mr. Daniel S. O'Brien and Mr. Joseph J. Tiche sustained the solos. Mr. Michael Johnson was at the organ. The bearers were Messrs. James J. Brown, Dr. Patrick J. Bagley, Joseph E. Carroll and John J. Mahoney. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery where Rev. Fr. McGarry, assisted by Rev. Fr. Curtin, Rev. Fr. Supple and Rev. Fr. McDonough read the committal prayers. Undertaker Peter H. Savage's Son was in charge of funeral arrangements.

**MILLS.**—The funeral of Mrs. Felina (Ladumme) Mills, wife of Freeman Mills, took place this morning at 8 o'clock from her home, 109 Shaw street, and was largely attended. A funeral high mass was celebrated at 9 o'clock at Notre Dame de Lourdes by Rev. Lucien Brassard, O.M.I. The church choir, under the direction of Severin Belandier, rendered the Gregorian chant. Miss Bella Lavigne presided at the organ. The bearers were John Sears, James Hanlon, David Perreault, Geo. Kenney, Harry Mills and Ira Goldthwaite. There was a wealth of beautiful flowers. Burial was in the family lot in St. Joseph's cemetery, where Rev. Fr. Brassard, O. M. I., read the committal prayers. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers Amodeo Archambault and Sons.

**ST. ARNAUD.**—The funeral of Napoleon St. Arnaud took place this morning from his home, 14 Melrose street, at 8 o'clock in Notre Dame de Lourdes church at 9 o'clock by Rev. Joseph J. Tiche, O.M.I. The choir was under the direction of Severin Belandier. Miss Bella Lavigne presided at the organ. The bearers were Messrs. Jacques Alexander, Edward A. M. Morvan and James McKenna. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery, where Rev. Lucien Brassard, O.M.I., read the committal prayers. Arrangements were in charge of Funeral Director Joseph Albert.

**McDOWALL.**—The funeral of Mrs. Jane P. McDowall took place from the family home, Fenwick street, yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Charles C. Otto, pastor of St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal church. The floral offerings were numerous. The

bearers were Thomas J. Bentley, Fred Roberts, John McDowall and Thomas Robertson. Burial was in the family lot in the Sherburne cemetery, Taunton. The arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

**KLACZKOWSKI.**—The funeral of Joseph Klaczkowski, infant son of Kazimierz and Polina (Sawicki) Klaczkowski, took place yesterday afternoon from 16 Winter street. Burial took place in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. The arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Joseph J. Sadowski.

## M. HONDA JAPANESE ENVOY TO GERMANY

BERLIN, Dec. 27.—Kunikida Honda, former Japanese minister at Vienna and Budapest, has been named ambassador to Germany, succeeding Kai Iwakura, and will come to Berlin early in February.

M. Honda, who for many years was attached to the Japanese embassy in London, was with Japan's delegation at the Portsmouth peace conference.

## CUE STAR DEFENDS TITLE

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Tadada Suganuma, Japanese holder of the junior national 182 professional balk line billiard championship, will defend his title in a 1200 point match, beginning tonight, against Joan Burno, Australian champion and runner-up in the recent tournament at Detroit. Blocks of 100 points will be played tonight. Friday, Edward Horemans, Belgian cue star, will referee the contest.

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## VENIZELOS VISITS FRENCH FOREIGN OFFICE

PARIS, Dec. 27.—Ex-Premier Venizelos of Greece, who is returning to his home land on invitation of the revolutionary committee and the ministerial council after years of absence, called at the French ministry of foreign affairs today and was received by M. De Peretti Dela Ronna, political director of the foreign office, whom he officially informed of his impending departure. The former premier will leave Paris tomorrow and will sail from Marseilles Saturday.

## NOTED ENTOMOLOGIST DECORATED

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Dr. L. H. Howard, one of the country's foremost entomologists and chief of the bureau of entomology of the department of agriculture with which he has been connected 15 years, has been awarded the cross of Chevalier of the Legion of Honor by the French government in recognition of his services to world agriculture.

## OIL CORP. NOT INVOLVED IN STOCK MUDDLE

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Dec. 27.—Scott Ferris, president of the Southern States Oil Corporation, declared in a statement that neither the company nor its directors are involved in the suspension of the company's stock in the New York market. He said that the concern will not permit the suspension of trading in its stock to interfere with the development of its properties.

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## CITY COUNCIL MEETING

A special meeting of the city council has been called by President James J. Gallagher for tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock for the purpose of drawing 14 jurors for the January sitting of the superior criminal court and one grand juror to serve throughout the year 1924.

## MOTHER OF FOUR INDICTED FOR MURDER

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., Dec. 27.—Mrs. Philomena Lombardo, the mother of four children, was in jail today under an indictment for first degree murder for the shooting to death of Vincenzo Costa, 63 years old, of New Rochelle. She is the first woman to be indicted for first degree murder in Westchester county in 25 years. Her attorneys said she would plead self defense.

## BOOTLEGGERS STORMED CHURCH

HANCOCK, Md., Dec. 27.—Bootleggers and moonshiners today were declared by authorities to have composed a band of ten men that stormed the Methodist church at Black road about six miles from here, Christmas night, damaging the edifice and beating up four members of the congregation, including two women. The invaders entered after breaking windows. Once inside they began to break up church fixtures. Two members of the congregation were attacked when they attempted to interfere. When their wives went to their assistance the assailants turned and beat them. Members of the church have aided authorities in breaking up stills and apprehending bootleggers.

## RAILROADS MUST REDUCE FARES

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Railroads traversing Arizona, Nevada and New Mexico must cease charging by Feb. 25, passenger fares at rates in excess of 3.6 cents per mile on their main lines the Interstate Commerce commission ruled today. Complaints were brought by the three states. The commission ruled that the railroads must reduce main line passenger fares to the level which exists generally in other parts of the country.

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<p><b>\$39.50 to \$49.50 Fur Trimmed Coats \$31</b></p> <p>Unusually fine values. Good winter materials, in black, navy, brown, taupe, with large collars and cuffs of selected fur.</p>	<p><b>\$6 to \$7.95 Skirts \$4.95</b></p> <p>Wrap around and sport styles, in tan and gray. Good serviceable materials.</p>	<p><b>\$25 to \$35 Smart Dresses \$19.50</b></p> <p>Sport and dressy models, in Poirer twill, silk and knitted. Medium and dark colors, nicely trimmed.</p>
<p><b>\$50 to \$69.50 Fine Coats \$38</b></p> <p>Nice thick pile materials, in blue, brown, gray, black. Plain and fur trimmed styles, hardly two alike.</p>	<p><b>Sport Skirts \$4 Values \$2.95</b></p> <p>Rich tan plaids, in wrap around styles. Cut right and well made. Belts 26 to 32.</p>	<p><b>\$35 to \$45 Stylish Winter Dresses \$25</b></p> <p>Canton crepe, Poirer twill, velvet, in navy, brown, black and a few lighter shades. All the newest styles, tailored and trimmed.</p>
<p><b>\$69.50 to \$79.50 Dressy Coats \$48</b></p> <p>Coats of fashion, luxona, ormandale, with fur trimmings of beaver, gray and violet squirrel, platinum taupe and black wolf. Linings of brocade or eunton crepe. All sizes.</p>	<p><b>Knickers, Pair \$2.69</b></p> <p>Gray and tan tweeds of extra good quality, well made.</p>	<p><b>\$39.50 to \$65 Highest Grade Dresses \$29.50</b></p> <p>Exceptional values, in charmoen, Poirer twill, velvet, rich novelty silks, in dozens of new and different styles with little or much pretty trimming.</p>
<p><b>\$15 to \$25 Dresses \$9</b></p> <p>Poirer twill and silk. All good styles and colors. Many are Betty Wales models.</p>	<p>SECOND FLOOR</p>	

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<p><b>Children's Leggings</b> Black jersey. Sizes 2 to 6; \$1.00 values.</p> <p><b>79c</b></p>	<p><b>Girls' Middies and Skirts</b> Good brown flannel. Blouses trimmed with gold braid. Sizes 8 to 16. Each.</p> <p><b>\$3.98</b></p>	<p><b>Men's and Women's Handkerchiefs</b> Slightly mused. 12 1/2 to 16 values.</p> <p><b>9c</b></p>
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## THE HUNGRY BEAR



"...dark tones, and the light of the sunburst, the assistance of my power," toward forces of good and evil, and to certain elements of the Klan, thus permitting it to function as intended as a high tone, character-building, active fraternal organization."

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when presidential and state office candidates were nominated.

Lincoln and Moody were two of the committee in which democrats and farmer-labor men endorsed McAdoo, and a partial success in this decision is reported from Minnehaha county.

Democrats and farmer-labor party men of Jackson county favored the state minority ticket headed by Henry Ford for president, while Minnehaha county republicans endorsed President Coolidge.

The Collington county republican proposal unanimously endorsed Hiram Johnson of California for president and they proposed a county ticket to run in the independent column on the primary ballot. Thus there will be an majority county ticket.

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## CHILEAN AMBASSADOR TO VATICAN DEAD

ROME, Dec. 27.—The death was announced today of Señor Rafael Errazuriz, Chilean ambassador to the Vatican, who has been here 20 years. Before becoming ambassador to the Holy See he was minister of foreign affairs of Chile. He was 62.

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## HELD AS SLAYER OF MISS PHILLIPS

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—A man known to the police as Frank Collins, was arrested today as the suspected slayer of Miss Estelle Phillips, an attractive department store executive, whose mutilated body was found in weeks ago in an apartment on West 59th street.

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## Move to Remedy Existing Evils

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The Athens newspapers yesterday devoted large portions of their space to portraits of Venizelos and predictions of the effect of his return. The republican papers, while not desiring to minimize the importance of the event, take strong point out that the former premier's sojourn here will only be temporary and proceed to reveal their fears that Venizelos may insist on the return of the king in order to gain the support of the royalists to his program.

Col. Plastiras, head of the revolutionary committee, received the information of the decision of Venizelos to return while attending services at the Greek Orthodox church Christmas day.

Plastiras, whose delicate health has been a source of deep concern to his friends, was bowed in prayer when an aide from revolutionary headquarters tapped his chief on the shoulder and handed him the former premier's telegram.

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## NOMINATION PAPERS

Nomination papers are being circulated in North Chelmsford in behalf of the candidates for the various town officers, and the board of registrars has called the attention of the voters to the proper method to be followed in signing the papers. The name should be preceded by the surname and middle initial, if any, Christmson and the name of the street surface for the address.

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## How. Lt. Wood Made Cleanup

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was believed it was on that day that the majority of Wood's men directed that the young officer's operations should cease. Mr. Woods said yesterday in Newton, Mass., that he had issued the order because he thought the "amounts involved appeared to be beyond the probable financial responsibilities" of Wood; he added that he did not think

ganization in disregard to the "high ideals, principles and purposes" for which it was formed, and these activities Clark characterized as a "keen disappointment to me."

said, "to assume the moral responsibility which is rightly mine as having been chiefly instrumental in the establishment of the Klan. In justice to myself and the hundreds of thousands of high grade men who have been drawn into the Klan because of its declaration of ideals and principles, I cannot and will not rest passive and silent and sit idly by in the face of such conditions."

Clark said in his letter that the development of the Klan as planned and intended was to have been "through scientific educational propaganda inside the lodge, through and through printed literature and by the establishment of great educational universities in different parts of the nation and through the building of magnificent hospitals." The trend recently, he said, had been in an entirely different direction.

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Clark's statement of the attitude taken by Secretary Woods toward the investigation of army officers.

Mr. Woods held that army officers could not be investigated and speculative enterprises on a scale that would mark the transactions imprudent in view of the claims of the officers concerned. It was in Klan with this policy that the suggestion was conveyed to Lieut. Wood four months ago that his speculative ventures in Wall Street, should be terminated.

Woods' operations, practically ceased at that time, it was said today at the war department, his subsequent transactions being in connection with the closing out of the operations in which he already was engaged.

A congressional investigation, into Lieut. Wood's operations possibly will be held by the Senate Committee on Republican War Crime, who has a resolution pending for a Kourai inquiry into the administration of Governor Klu. Wood in the Philippines. Representative Fearns said today that he considered that his resolution if favorably acted upon, would permit the investigating committee to get into such cases as that of the Lieutenant.



## AMUSEMENT NOTES

**MERRIMACK SQUARE**  
William S. Hart in "Wild Bill Hickok," now playing at the Merrimack Square theatre, is an announcement that will have a familiar ring to the motion picture world. In the good old days, beginning in 1914, Clifford S. Smith directed this famous star in no less than forty-five pictures. Twenty-two of these were two-reelers and twenty-three were five-reel features. These were the western productions that made Bill Hart world-famous as the king of western heroes.

The story of "Wild Bill Hickok" is an original by Mr. Hart himself and deals with the fighting, riotous days of Western American history, from 1856 to 1872. In addition to Mr. Hart, many other famous characters of the period are brought in, including Wyatt Earp, Frank Beeson, Charles Russell, Bill Tilden, Luke Short, Doc Holliday and the most popular woman of that time, "Calamity Jane." Mr. Hart devoted two years of his retirement from the screen to do research work on the pioneer history of the United States, and it is from this material he has taken his color and atmosphere.

The other feature for the last half of the week is "The Wild Party," starring Gladys Walton in a most entertaining production.

## BIALTO THEATRE

Betty Blythe, "the queen of the screen," is the beautiful star of the Rex Beach story, "Fair Lady," which opens at the Bialto theatre today. Miss Blythe is considered to be the most beautiful actress on stage or screen, and she plays the title of this wonderful Rex Beach story like a glove.

In "Fair Lady" she is seen in the role of Countess Margherita, who is engaged to be married to a young count. The scene is laid in Sicily, where Count, the head of a desperate band of criminals who have formed a secret society, has plunged the inhabitants of this little island into a state of fear and anxiety. The band of Count and his hordes is evident in all the crimes that are being committed throughout the length and breadth of the island. Count falls in love with Margherita, but makes known his feelings only through love letters addressed to her, and threatening communications sent to all men who attempt to make love to her. When



SANTA HIMSELF

Secretary of Labor James J. Davis played Santa Claus at the Washington (D. C.) Foundlings Home, when he distributed toys to the tiny inmates. He had as much fun as they did, which was a lot.

## HOWEVER, COMMA—

BY JAMES W. DEAN  
NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—A comma is the reviewer's best friend, especially when it follows however.

"This is the best show of the season," writes the reviewer. "However comma" he continues, "the leading lady was hardly up to her part." Then "however comma we understand that she was suffering from the effects of a heavy cold. She will do better work in the future."

And in the matter of books—"In no way up to the standard set in previous works. However comma his talent for character delineation is at its very best in the creation of his hero."

And again at the concert, "Here is a young soprano of great promise. However comma some of her notes in the upper register are still a bit ragged." Of course the reviewer, "Champion," art reaches his highest level in this new comic. However comma he has neglected his masterpiece of late.

Yet do not consider "however comma" as a convenient means for quibbling on the part of the reviewer. The critic of plays, books, films and music is ever on the search for perfection. Often he thinks he has found it, but after he sets down that conviction he knows that nothing perfect has yet been created. It is only the hope of perfection that makes life worthwhile. Once we have achieved perfection we are ready for the next world.

And on the other hand, nothing is entirely bad in this world. A reviewer may be firmly convinced that he has just met up with the worst play, book, film or voice ever released. Then he realizes that his own effort along the same line would be far worse. So he tempers his criticism with "however comma."

So it is out of a sense of obligation to that graceful phrase that this reviewer dedicates his daily column to "However comma—"

A new year looms. It is a time for recapitulation, for a striking of balances in all fields of human endeavor. For the moment we turn to the stage.

The current season is probably a bigger commercial success than last season. Its artistic success is less. The most artistic achievements of the present season are John Barrymore's "Hamlet," Jane Cowell's "Romeo and Juliet," Barnet, the phoning 261 tickets will be reserved for you.

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## "MARY" AT OPERA HOUSE

Talented and talented, "Mary," the great George M. Cohan hit is going big at the Lowell Opera House all this week. Vic Browne and Miss Hazel Corning have the leading roles and a special chorus adds to the pleasure.

There are several specialty numbers that are sure to please. Malcolm MacLeod and Miss Edna Karl Andrews are delightful in their parts in the show Richard Morgan, popular solo, give a big hand at every performance. The hit rule is one of the best of the season, but a few tickets may yet be engaged by phoning 261.

## B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

The dancing show at the B. F. Keith Theatre, this week, will stand out as one of the season's biggest hits. With Blaise Pierce, Tudor Douglas and Joseph Wallace in the leading position the acts cannot fail to go over with real enthusiasm. Lee and Shaw, in their first comedy and dancing act, are a source of real entertainment, and Keller Sisters and Lynch, in dancing and a general musical setting, stir the blood from the minute they come out. There are other specialties, including Monty, the comedy bandit; "The Wrecker," an amusing comedy of domestic life, and "The Kingdom Within," not only beautiful but exceedingly well timed. It is a show which holds the real holiday atmosphere. The picture feature is "The Kingdom Within."

## SHERIFF SLAIN BY HIS MOTHER-IN-LAW

ARKADELPHIA, Ark., Dec. 27.—Monton Francis, sheriff of Clark county, was shot and instantly killed by his mother-in-law, Mrs. Clem Grayson, here late last night.

Mrs. Grayson, 60, was arrested on a technical charge of murder. She said she killed her son-in-law because of his alleged mistreatment of his wife and daughter, Lucile Francis, 11-year-old daughter of the sheriff, who was slightly wounded by a stray bullet. The shooting occurred in the Clark county jail, where the sheriff lived with his family.

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75c "INTERWOVEN"  
WOOL RIBBED  
HOSE 59c

DAISYKNIT HOSE— 18c  
Fast colors, first quality.....  
45c CASHMERE HOSE— 27c  
Black with grey heel and toe....  
75c DROPTITCH HOSE— 48c  
Heather wool—Seconds.....  
65c HEAVY WOOL HOSE— 35c  
White only—Slightly soiled.....  
CONTOOCCOOK HOSE 21c  
Wool mixed—Good weight.....  
\$1.00 ALL WOOL HOSE— 69c  
Heavy ribbed—Heather colors....

## COLLARS

25c and 35c "Triangle"  
SOFT COLLARS 8c  
Broken lots, various styles,  
many qualities, most sizes  
in the lot.

## SWEATERS

Small Lot—  
\$3 BEACH COAT STYLE  
SWEATERS \$1.98

V-NECK SWEATERS— \$3.85  
Heavyweight wool.....  
\$10 WHITE WOOL SWEATERS— \$6.79  
All wool, with roll collar....  
\$2.50 GREY'S SWEATERS— \$1.15  
Cotton and wool—Small sizes.....  
\$8.50 RING NECK SWEATERS— \$6.60  
All wool—Heavyweight.....

One Lot—  
MEN'S WHITE  
Handkerchiefs 5c  
6 for 25c50c Imperfect  
WIRE  
ARMBANDS  
10c PairHARRISON'S  
166 CENTRAL STREET35c  
BOSTON  
GARTERS  
16cOne Lot—High Grade  
LADIES' DAMAGEDSILK \$1.48  
UMBRELLAS  
Values to \$8.50

## Underwear

One Lot—Most Sizes  
\$2.00 "THREE SEASON"  
HEAVY RIBBED  
UNION SUITS \$1.12

\$3.00 WORSTED UNION SUITS— \$1.69  
Grey mottled color, small lot.  
\$1.00 FLEECE LINED UNDERWEAR 43c  
Heavyweight, broken sizes.....  
\$1.00 RIBBED UNDERWEAR— 77c  
Silk trimmed, first quality.....  
\$4 HEAVY WOOL UNION SUITS \$2.85  
—Grey color, broken lots.  
\$3.50 ONE BUTTON UNION SUITS— \$1.89  
—Silk striped, seconds.....  
\$1.50 WOOL MIXED UNDERWEAR— 95c  
Heavyweight, grey.....  
\$1.50 GREY RIBBED UNDERWEAR— 79c  
Heavy ribbed, broken sizes.....  
GLASTENBURY (First Quality)  
WOOL UNDERWEAR ..... \$1.50

\$2.00 BRUSHED WOOL  
MUFFLERS \$1.15  
Others Marked Down

## GLOVES

BALANCE OF WELL KNOWN MAKE  
\$2.00 and \$2.50 Tan Kid  
and Capeskin  
GLOVES 79c  
All Sales Final

## PAJAMAS

\$2.50 HEAVY FLANNEL  
PAJAMAS \$1.65  
With Slik Frogs

## BELTS—BRACES

\$1.00 Fancy Buckle  
RUBBER BELTS... 29c  
65c SHIRLEY  
PRESIDENT BRACES 37c

## OTHER BARGAINS

20c CANVAS GLOVES..... 12c  
\$1.10 CHAMBRAY SHIRTS..... 69c  
\$1.50 CHAMBRAY SHIRTS..... 89c  
65c LEATHER PALM GLOVES..... 29c  
\$2.50 DOUBLE KNEE HEAVY BLUE  
OVERALLS ..... \$1.48

New SLIM JIM Braided  
TIES 23c

29-31 MARKET ST.



## FOREIGN WAR VETERANS COX QUILTS PUBLIC LIFE

David F. Caddell is Re-elected  
Commander of Walker-  
Rogers Post

David F. Caddell was re-elected commander of Walker-Rogers post, Veterans of Foreign Wars, at the annual post meeting held last evening in Memorial hall. Richard T. Casey was elected senior vice-commander. Other officers chosen for 1924 were as follows: Junior vice-commander, John F. Shear; quartermaster, Carroll L. Mc-



DAVID F. CADDELL

grees; chaplain, Joseph McShane; surgeon, Dr. Clarence B. Livingston; officer of the day, Thomas W. Vickers; judge advocate, Bert W. Chandler; trustees, Leo D. King, Oscar A. D. Milton and William B. Caddell.

Delegates to the state convention in Haverhill will include Leo D. King, John F. Shear, Carroll L. McShane, Richard T. Casey, Joseph McShane, alternates, H. W. Whitely, William B. Caddell, Frank C. Hart and Thomas H. Vickers. Delegates to Middlesex county council, John F. Shear and Leo D. King.

There will be a special favorite evening at Dracut grange on Feb. 18. Members of the post will participate in the entertainment program.

## REUNION FOR CHILDREN OF ST. PATRICK'S

A reunion for the children of St. Patrick's parish is being held in the Memorial Auditorium this afternoon. The affair is in keeping with the plan of Rev. John J. McGarry, D.D., pastor, to give the youngsters a good time annually. A reunion for adult parishioners was held last October and met with great success.

This afternoon's program got under way at 2 o'clock with approximately 1500 young boys and girls in attendance. They were treated to a splendid musical program by members of the newly organized orchestra of St. Patrick's Sunday school; also a Punch-and-Judy show; a clown, musician, an instrumental News reel, and four acts of comedy.

During the motion pictures, the Anderton organ was played by Napoleon Guilbault.

## COURSE IN INTERIOR HOME DECORATION

Interior Home Decoration is the subject of the course which the division of university extension, Massachusetts department of education is offering in Billerica. The next meeting of this course will be held at the Billerica high school on Wednesday afternoon, January 2, at 2 p.m. The course is offered under the auspices of the Massachusetts department of education and is open at a nominal charge to all residents of Billerica and vicinity.

The course is exceedingly practical and consists of six lectures as follows: Color and planning of color schemes; wood work and wall treatment; floors and floor coverings; pictures; lighting fixtures and lamps; table covers, delfs, sofa pillows, and bric-a-brac. These subjects will be studied with reference to their durability, cleanliness and artistic effect. The problem may easily be worked out by any woman in her own home. The course is designed to be of value to the housewife of moderate or limited means in helping her to be better able to choose those things best suited to her needs which tend to comfort, beauty and economy in the home.

All residents of Billerica and vicinity are eligible for membership in this class. Interested persons may enroll at the next meeting of the class on Wednesday afternoon, January 2, at 2 p.m. o'clock.

Scientists say there need be no fear of the sun "dying" too quickly, and of the earth getting cold. The sun's heat will last, they say, for another billion years or so.

**THE PRIDE OF A PERFECT KITCHEN**

**The FAMOUS BLACK-IRON STOVE POLISH**

## See the Point?

The Sun has by far the largest circulation of any Lowell paper. Ninety per cent. of Sun readers do not read any other Lowell newspaper. See the point, Mr. Advertiser?

Governor Announces He Will Retire to Resume Law Practice at End of Term

BOSTON, Dec. 27.—Governor Cox yesterday took himself definitely out of consideration for the republican nomination for the senate by declaring that he will retire from politics at the end of his present term as governor in January, 1925.

The announcement, which has been expected in political circles for several weeks, was intended to clear the political air and to pave the way for the United States senatorial candidacy of William M. Butler, who will have the backing of the friends of President Coolidge to defeat Senator Walsh.

No formal announcement of Mr. Butler's candidacy will be made for some time. He is chairman of the committee which is arranging for the nomination of President Coolidge at the Cleveland convention next June, and until the work of that organization is well nigh completed, Mr. Butler will devote all his time to it. He had left for Chicago, where Coolidge headquarters will be opened today, before the governor's statement of his intention to retire had been made to newspaper reporters at the state house yesterday.

"I'd like to start the new year right," said the governor, "and I wish to announce that I shall retire at the close of my present term. I have no definite plans for the future, except that I will return to my law practice."

Governor Cox said that his announcement does not exclude him from the field of possibility as a candidate for delegate-at-large to the republican national convention, but that it merely meant that he will not be a candidate for the republican nomination for the United States senate. The governor declined to comment on the senatorial situation in any way or to indicate his choice for the republican nomination for that office.

Louis A. Coolidge, who is expected to be a candidate against Mr. Butler for the senatorial nomination, declined to make any comment as to the effect of the governor's announcement upon his own candidacy.

Mr. Coolidge has not yet definitely decided whether to be a candidate, and no announcement is expected from him until some time later. Contrary to the belief heretofore, Mr. Coolidge will not make the running for the senate, if at all, on a straight race and dry issue. He will await developments in the party situation, possibly delaying his declaration regarding the senatorship until after the republican national convention has adopted the party platform.

The impression among the friends of Mr. Coolidge is that his campaign, if it starts, will be based upon his desire to bring to the attention of the voters certain issues not yet disclosed, rather than upon any personal ambition to fill in the United States senate.

Congressman Frederick W. Dallinger of Cambridge, who is considering the possibilities of a senatorial campaign, also declined to make any comment upon the announcement of Governor Cox last night.

Although Governor Cox said yesterday that he has no definite plans for the future, he has been understood in political circles for several weeks that after his retirement he will become prominently identified with a large insurance company.

## WILL GIVE FIRST CONCERT TONIGHT

The Studio Choral Art society has arranged a splendid program for its first public concert to be given this evening in Liberty hall. The society will be directed by Albert Edmund Brown, its coach, and it is expected that the hall will be well filled by friends of the singers and other persons interested in the advancement of good music in the city.

The concert is being given free of charge, tickets of admission having been distributed by Mr. Brown and members of the society.

**SCIENTISTS MEET**  
CINCINNATI, Ohio, Dec. 27.—Scientists of the United States and Canada were in Cincinnati today to attend the opening of the 75th anniversary meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

Important discoveries and new scientific theories will be announced during the convention, which will continue until January 2.

**Office of the Purchasing Agent**  
Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Purchasing Agent until 11 a. m., Saturday, Dec. 29, 1923, on the following material:

Req. 12301. Water Works Dept.  
5000 ft. 4-inch Gal. Ryars pipe.  
2000 ft. 1-inch Gal. Ryars pipe.

Req. 12304. O.D.B. Charley.

50 cords hard wood.

Req. 12301. Chelmsford St. Hospital.

300 lbs. Worker or Mayos tobacco.

The purchasing agent reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

EDWARD J. DONNOLLY,  
Purchasing Agent.

Lowell, Mass., Dec. 27, 1923.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—

Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the estate of Lizzie Harris, sometimes called Elizabeth Harris, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased:

Whereas John J. Harvey, the administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County, on the eleventh day of January, A. D. 1924, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

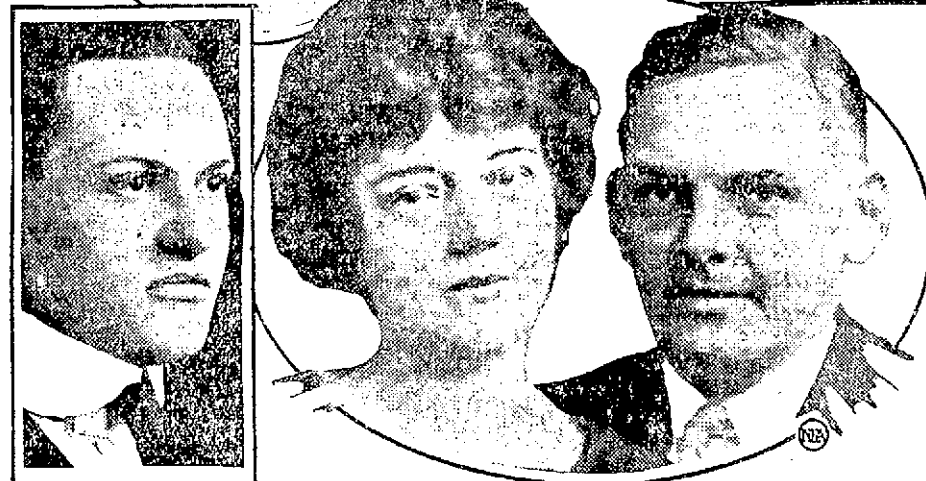
And said administrator is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be on one day at least, before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, first judge of said Court, this twenty-sixth day of December, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three.

E. M. KESTY, Register.

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## Underwood Wears Business Suits and Relishes Fried Mush TWO NAVAL OFFICERS ADMITS DIXMUDE LOST



TOP: MRS. OSCAR W. UNDERWOOD (LEFT) AND SENATOR UNDERWOOD. OSCAR W. UNDERWOOD, JR. (LEFT), MRS. JOHN LEWIS UNDERWOOD (CENTER) AND JOHN LEWIS UNDERWOOD.

By N.E.A. Service  
BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Dec. 27.—This with Oscar W. Underwood, or began to one of his speeches on the floor of the senate, and you get an impression of a able, powerful nature—logical and, above all, endowed with a large store of common sense.

Southern in all of his antecedents, educational, political and economic, the senator from Alabama, now that he has thrown his hat in the 1924 arena, represents the hope of the "solid south" for a president.

He combines the manner of the traditional southern gentleman with the

logic, poise and force of the highly trained executive. Unfailingly polite and friendly, he is not what could be termed effusive.

As a United States senator, Underwood has many friends but few pals.

His closest companions are his wife, who drives him to and from his office in the United States capital each day, and his German police dog, Otto von

Kalewaisa. Otto is the senator's play-fellow at home and companion on walks

ing expeditions. These constitute Underwood's chief exercise.

**Likes Plain Food**

Underwood is as democratic in his mode of living as he is in his politics.

He is unostentatious, wears business suits, and frequently bow-ties. He likes fried apples, fried ham and fried mush, and is considerable of a dog fancier.

Rarely, if ever, does Underwood make a set speech. All his talks are extemporaneous, yet when he rises on the floor of the senate, his colleagues and the press galleries come to prompt

## PENALIZED FOR WRECK Paris Reluctantly Admits Loss of Dirigible—Still Hope For Safety of Crew

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Two naval officers with long record of meritorious service, must pay the penalty for the falling up on the deck near Point Stuyvesant, Cal., in September, 1922, the airship.

Captain Edward H. Weiss, 40, and Ensign Charles E. Smith, 28, are the two officers who are now reluctantly admitted, although hope for the safety of her crew of 17 officers and men has not yet been relinquished. Officials who feel that the airship's personnel is still alive and that nothing was heard of the crew of the rigidly, which crashed at Lake Mead, on August 1, 1922, and a week after the accident, a full crew had been given up. Up to now, hope has been based on the fact that the airship had been seen from the coast of France, Great Britain and Ireland, which have been searching the Mediterranean waters for the missing crew, or from the military and naval forces which have been exploring the interior of Tunis and Algeria.

The sentences of the court-martial, which is sitting at the Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md., are: Captain Weiss, 12 months' suspension, and Ensign Smith, 12 months' suspension, and both are to be placed on the retired list. The court-martial also ordered that the two officers be placed on the retired list, and that they be placed on the retired list, and that they be placed on the retired list.

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Colorado this year produced 1,000,000 pounds of beef, enough to supply every man, woman and child in the United States with more than four pounds each.

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In his senatorial position, Underwood is most to be noted. All the while and his office each day, he is closed up that day.

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# The Wise Fellow Gets His Early! Sale of Overcoats

Of course you know that we have had a wonderful Fall, but it has not been an Overcoat Fall. We have put our entire Overcoat stock on sale practically before you have really needed a heavyweight one.

Former Prices—\$30 to \$75

Today's Prices

**\$19 to \$49**

\$30.00 and \$35.00 OVERCOATS.....\$19.00

KUPPENHEIMER \$45.00 OVERCOATS—Now.....\$29.00

We have had sales, but never at such reductions—and we have

Plenty of Overcoats

**MACARTNEY'S**

72 MERRIMACK ST.

# Nine Major League Ball Clubs Will Train in Florida Next Spring

## Tex O'Rourke's Unique Adventure

BY JOE WILLIAMS

Tex O'Rourke, an American gentleman of little inclination, is overseas trying to put the English heavyweight situation back on its feet.

If you happen to be acquainted with the English heavyweight situation, even from a distant distance, you will readily concede that it needs to be put back on its feet.

It has been a great number of years since England has had a heavyweight capable of remaining on his feet for any specified length of time.

The art of fighting as practiced by Bombardier Wells, Joseph Beckett, Fighting Irish Smith, Ransome, Egan, Frank Goddard and other modern English heavyweights in the past has consisted largely of taking a robust knock on the whiskers and dropping gracefully to the canvas. No English heavyweight looks natural any more unless he is stretched out full length on the floor listening to the soul-satisfying count of the referee.

And the astonishing thing about this is that England's heavyweights in



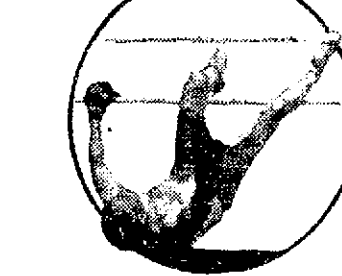
camp is that no fighter shall drop without actually having been hit.

Seriously, O'Rourke believes he has unearthed three promising prospects and expects to turn them loose in the professional ring against second-rounders very shortly. The three are all youngsters who stand 6 feet in height and weigh in the desired neighborhood of 150 pounds.

Three Young Corners

Isaac Ingleton was a policeman in Liverpool until O'Rourke found him. William Trevelyan was a hotelmaker and Leslie Price an assistant in the management of his father's hotel. None of them had ever done any fighting. They had the build, the "looks" and a desire to box, so the American took them on.

Naturally O'Rourke is teaching his British pupils the American system of boxing. And what is probably more important, the American system of training. O'Rourke doesn't get a terrible kick out of the English idea of stopping for tea at 4 o'clock, or inhaling a few cigarettes to soothe ruffled nerves.



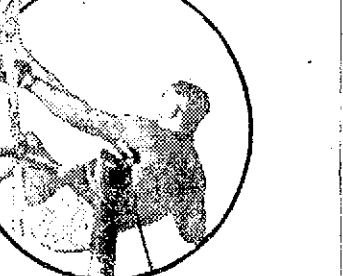
the olden days ruled the world's title realm.

Historians have told you about James Figg, the first ring champion; Jim Belcher, one of the first of the scientific school; Tom Cribb, a marvel in his time; Tom Sayers, possibly the greatest of all English title holders; and Charley Mitchell, a middleweight who held the great John L. even in a bout that lasted more than three hours.



It is difficult to reconcile the glorious traditions of the English prize ring with the cold, scientific realities of the present.

The courageous Mr. O'Rourke has gone over there to find out what the matter was. He has been making satisfactory progress, having established a cauliflower clinic on the outskirts of London and received a small amount of non-scientific advice. The one insurmountable law in the O'Rourke



do not make them spend the morning doing road work. O'Rourke writes, "The afternoon in the ring fighting."

However, a note of melancholy creeps into O'Rourke's words when he says any one of his three star pupils is good enough to beat Beckett right now.

You can imagine how much farther the boys must come yet in order to whip a real fighter.

## Eastern Elevens Make Remarkable Showing Against Sectional Rivals

Intersectional games were quite profuse during the football season. East-west, east-south, west-south and west-far west this rounded up one of the best gridiron cards offered in the history of the pastime. True, there were no Harvard-Cornell, Princeton-Chicago and Yale-Duquesne clashes, but various other big bouts more than made up for those famous battles of the previous campaign.

The elite east had a great season. It was in 28 intersectional games. It won 17 of them, lost eight and tied three. Against the west, it wasn't so successful, winning but five and doing two out of 12 played. 1 brushes with the south, however, 12 games, were won, three lost and one tied.

The south, by the way, didn't have a very enjoyable fall in so far as intersectional plays were concerned, losing its only two clashes with middle western aggregations besides being in the history of the pastime. The south, summed up, the south was in 14 bouts with other sections, winning only three of them.

Middle western elevens engaged in 18 divisional games. Of these nine were turned into victories, five were defeats and two ended in ties.

Two games were played with teams from the far west, Chicago triumphing the Colorado Eagles and Detroit edging Gonzaga. Notre Dame, West Virginia and the Army were in the most intersectional battles—four.

### COMPLETE RECORD OF VARIOUS INTERSECTIONAL GRID GAMES

EAST	VS.	WEST
Lafayette	.....	Dayton
Colgate	.....	Ohio State
Army	.....	Notre Dame
Colgate	.....	Ohio Wesleyan
Princeton	.....	Notre Dame
W. & J.	.....	Detroit
Colgate	.....	Marquette
Boston College	.....	Kansas Aggies
Army	.....	Marquette
Vermont	.....	Notre Dame
Carnegie Tech	.....	Detroit
Carnegie Tech	.....	Detroit
Syracuse	.....	Nebraska
Totals—East	.....	West
EAST	VS.	SOUTH
Prin State	.....	North Carolina State
Army	.....	Florida
Yale	.....	North Carolina State
Pennsylvania	.....	Maryland
Allegany	.....	West Virginia
W. & J.	.....	West Virginia
Yale	.....	Maryland
Boston College	.....	Georgetown
Penn State	.....	Georgia Tech
Rutgers	.....	Richmond
Penn State	.....	West Virginia
Pennsylvania	.....	Cent. College
Army	.....	Auburn
Pittsburg	.....	West Virginia
Princeton	.....	Georgetown
Navy	.....	W. Va. Wesleyan
Totals—East	.....	South
WEST	VS.	SOUTH
Michigan	.....	Vanderbilt
Notre Dame	.....	Georgia Tech
Totals—West	.....	South
WEST	VS.	FAR WEST
Chicago	.....	Colorado Aggies
Detroit	.....	Bouazou
Totals—West	.....	Far West

### AUSTRALIA TO CHALLENGE FOR CUP

LONDON, Dec. 27.—Australia will certainly challenge for the Davis cup in 1924, although she has not yet made an official announcement to this effect, says the Sydney correspondent of the Daily Mail.

Gerald Patterson and O'Hara Wood will be available for the tour, the dispatch asserts, but J. C. Anderson and A. B. Hawke will be absent. Not much trouble will be playing in Great Britain and Europe next summer and will be willing to go to America as captain of the team and also to play in Australia. D. McLean and R. E. Schlesinger will also be available.

### NAVY TEAM HAS WORKOUT

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—Followed from the bottom of their trip by a tough workout at Chicago today, the Navy football team today will be on its way to Pasadena, Cal., where, on January 1, it meets the University of Washington eleven in an intersectional contest.



Indiana is striving hard to recover more recognition as a basketball power in the Ten states and will make a determined bid to rank with the leading powers in the middle west this season.

In Kenneth Alward, the Hoosiers have an inspiring leader, and capable captain.

## BOWLING

TEAM NO. TWO	TEAM NO. FIVE	TEAM NO. ONE	TEAM NO. THREE	TEAM NO. FOUR	TEAM NO. SIX
Boquet	.....	Boquet	.....	Boquet	.....
Sub	.....	Sub	.....	Sub	.....
Lockwood	.....	Lockwood	.....	Lockwood	.....
McDonnell	.....	McDonnell	.....	McDonnell	.....
Conway	.....	Conway	.....	Conway	.....
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## BOXING BOUTS TONIGHT

### Proceeds of Moody Club Show to Be Turned Over to Elks' Charity Fund

It is expected that the Elks' charity fund, which was reduced considerably during the holiday season, will receive a generous boost after tonight's bouts in Crockett rink, where the Moody club will stage a show with the proceeds going to the treasury of the local lodge.

Since "Black" Lodge resumed the promotion of boxing here, a year ago, it has made it an annual custom to conduct a show during the Christmas season for the benefit of the Elks' charity fund, and as a result considerable money has been raised by its efforts.

In arranging for tonight's benefit, Mr. Dodge has submitted a card that looks like one of the best action programs of the season. All the contestants will work under the supervision and direction of the state boxing commission, which means they must fight or face a penalty.

In some charity shows the performers give exhibitional numbers, but not so with tonight's gladiators. The participants will be paid for their efforts, hence they must put forth their best.

Some changes in the original lineup of bouts has been made necessary. Frankie Hebert was scheduled to fight Tommy Fall but has been forced to withdraw from the bout because of an injury sustained in a bout in Providence on the holiday. He met Charlie Bagter and suffered a badly split eye in the final round. In his place will appear his brother, Johnny Hebert, who knocked out Johnny Nelson here last Thursday night. Fall is disappointed over the inability of Frankie to appear, but he will accept a pretty stiff bitter when he steps into the ring with the older Hebert.

The other bouts scheduled for tonight are as follows: Frank Curry type of Lawrence vs. Nick Madonna; Gunboat Jack vs. Eddie Doyle; Billy Robinson vs. Larry Robinson and Tommy Leonard vs. Mickey Nolan.

## OLYMPIC HOCKEY TEAM TO REPORT IN BOSTON

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 27.—Members of the American Olympic hockey team have been ordered to report next Monday in Boston, where they will be housed by W. S. Haddock, president of the United States Amateur Hockey association, to play five exhibition games before their departure for France, Jan. 1.

With the exception of one defense, the personnel of the team has been completed. Mr. Haddock said, and includes Lacroix and Langley, both of the other defense position, who were released by the team. The defense, Haddock, Pittsburgh, and MacCarthy, Gorman and Rice, all of Boston forwards. Negotiations are still on with Thurens, Axel of St. Paul to fill the other defense position, who yesterday recommended his previous decision not to participate in the Olympiad, and then a few hours later again telegraphed his refusal to join the team.

Mr. Haddock will take charge of the team at Boston as the representative of the American Olympic committee, and will direct its activities until the team leaves for France. Expenses of the trip have been assumed by the American Olympic committee, he stated, with the understanding that a portion would be refunded by the hockey association through exhibition games later in the season.

McGraw says he wasn't sick at all while crossing the ocean, proving that he was able to divorce his mind entirely from his pitching staff.



### BOXING BOUTS TONIGHT

Proceeds of Moody Club Show to Be Turned Over to Elks' Charity Fund

### TRAINS WITH CHAMPION

Bud Dempsey, Who is to Box Billy Murphy, Works Out With Joe Lynch

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Bud Dempsey, the New York featherweight who meets Billy Murphy, of Lowell, in the feature bout of the Moody A. C. New Year's afternoon, is one of the best club fighters ever managed by Eddie Mead.

Dempsey recently substituted on two hours' notice, against Switzer Gardner at Newark, N. J. Bud earned a draw and had Gardner in bad shape in the third round.

Dempsey has boxed all of the leading bantams and featherweights. He will soon be matched by Jim Mullins of Chicago to meet Eddie Kid Wacker in one of the all-star cards Mullins promotes in St. Louis.

The New Yorker has been under Mead's management a short time. He is a fighter of the Frankie Curry type. Curry recently made a big hit in Lowell in his battle with Tony Thomas.

At the Vendome last summer Dempsey boxed against a sensational rounder with Joe Burman of Chicago. He gave the Chicago boy the battle of his career.

Mead thinks that Dempsey will defeat Murphy and prove his claim to a match with Red Chapman, the Boston boy who recently won a decision over Andy Chapman.

Mead wants to avenge the Chapman win over his star Chaney. He has notified Promoter Cecil Decker that in the event Dempsey beats Murphy he wants Chapman to meet him.

Dempsey is training with Champion Joe Lynch for the Murphy clash. He has heard of Murphy's long string of victories in New England arenas and is taking no chances on not being in proper shape.

Dempsey beats Labates

(Special to The Sun)

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—(Bud) Dempsey, stable mate of Champion Joe Lynch, won over Joe Labates in the main bout at the Loney sporting club last night. He received the judges' decision.

A Paris sprint athlete meat man won a 100-yard dash. Now he will start eating elephant chops and go in for the marathon.

If the January white sales don't develop an opponent for Harry Wills he might as well park up his gloves and quit for good.

The announcement that first prize in the New York exhibit went to a handsome blue Persian cat is inconceivable. It fails to reveal what the judges drank.

No matter how short they make the new schedule, it threatens to be much too long for the fans in Boston and Philadelphia.

Stung by criticism of its weak schedule, Cornell has taken on the mighty Rutgers eleven, and almost an entire minute ago to hear that Cornell has been added also.

Mothers and daughters will play in a golf tournament next summer. If a reporter makes the error of mistaking one of the mothers for her daughter he will not be asked to correct it.

Radium is now selling at \$35,000 a pound. It will soon be as rare as natural complexion and good curve-bell pitchers.

Winning horse in Havana had \$702.50 for a \$2 ticket. This will do much to revive faith in the belief that bunions lay Easter eggs.

Young women who have a habit of getting into heated arguments grow up to marry estate and are sold as apogee.

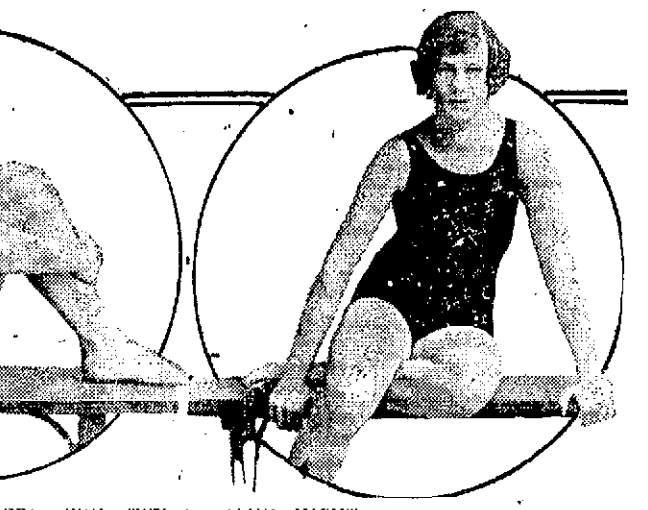
The native Italian spaghetti is said to be so good that it can be served with black whip cream for the service.

It's all right to eat peas with a knife. Later on you may be able to get a job in a circus as a sword swallower.

AN EASY MATCH

The other night Wisconsin and De Paul basketball teams were tied at the end of the first overtime session they were still docketed at 27. The second extra frame found them knotted at 27 and at the termination of the third overtime period the score remained 27-27. They then called for the last time. Extra innings on the last play are quite common in basketball. The last time a basketball game went to extra time was in 1912.

Arthur J. Hall, halfback of the Swarthmore football team, made the longest run in the game when he picked up a ball he had in the yard back of Penna. house, four yards back of Swarthmore's goal line, and then kicked from this point clear across the puny goal line, a distance of 101 yards.



### SISTERS WIN TITLES SAME NIGHT

Great swimmers seldom come in clusters. However, the Smith sisters of Columbus, O., formed a great swimming pair. Now come the Taylor sisters of Pittsburg to rival them. The two Taylors, Marjorie and Frances, scored notable triumphs in a recent meet when the former won the junior championship of the Allegheny Mountain Association and the latter won the senior title. Both won their titles at the same meet, on the same night and in consecutive tries.

## LIST OF TRAINING CAMPS FOR MAJOR LEAGUERS COMPLETED

### Six National and Three American League Outfits Will Do Their Conditioning in Florida, Greatest Number Ever Attracted to State—Hot Springs Deserted

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Florida will be the training mesa for major league ball players next spring.

Completion of the list of camps for 1924 reveals that nine clubs—six National league and three American league outfits—will do their conditioning in the Everglades state, the greatest number ever attracted to any southern locality.

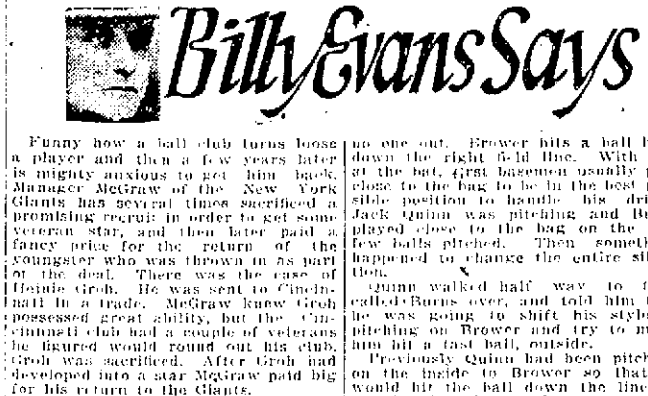
Of the remaining seven clubs, two each have chosen Alabama and California, while Georgia, Louisiana and Texas have attracted one each.

Only four clubs have changed training sites for next season. Texas lost New York Giants and Chicago White Sox, both having migrated to Florida, but will entertain the Boston Red Sox, who trained a year ago at Hot Springs, Ark. The other shift was made by the Pittsburgh Pirates, who go to Paso Robles, Cal. from Hot Springs, Ark., thus depriving Arkansas resort of a place in the pre-season baseball sun for the first time in years.

The list of training camps follows:

American League  
New York, New Orleans, Cleveland, Lakeland, Fla., Chicago, Winter Haven, Fla., Detroit, Augusta, Ga., St. Louis, Mobile, Ala., Philadelphia, Montgomery, Ala., Washington, Tampa, Fla., Boston, San Antonio, Texas.

National League  
New York, Sarasota, Fla., Cincinnati, Orlando, Fla., Pittsburgh, Paso Robles, Cal., Chicago, Catalina Island, Cal., St. Louis, Bradenton, Fla., Philadelphia, Clearwater, Fla., Philadelphia, Lookout, Fla., Boston, St. Petersburg, Fla.



### Billy Evans Says

Funny how a ball club turns loose a player and then a few years later is mighty anxious to get him back. Manager McGraw of the New York Giants has several times sacrificed a promising recruit in order to get some veteran star, and then later paid a fancy price for the return of the youngster who was thrown in as part of the deal. There was the case of Frankie Curry, who was sent to Cincinnati in a trade. McGraw knew Curry possessed great ability, but the Cincinnati club had a couple of veterans he figured would round out his club. Curry was sacrificed. After Curry had developed into a star McGraw paid big for his return to the Giants.

Just at present the Cleveland club is angling for First Baseman George Burns of the Boston Red Sox. A few years ago Burns was pitching in Cleveland and was sent to Boston as part payment for First Baseman McInnes, who has dropped out of the American league.

Burns, by the way, won slugging fame against the Cleveland club in a game at Boston last summer. He made a triple play unassisted. Incidentally he figured prominently in three defeats handed to Cleveland in Boston in that series. When the Indians lost second place in the American league by half-game margin it is easy to see that Burns was considerable of a player in the past.

Apparently Manager Speaker is not satisfied with his first base candidates. Like McGraw he is willing to take back a player he parted with, but Speaker said that Quinn was going to straighten out his infield. When Speaker sent Burns to Boston he realized he was parting with a valuable player, but he believed McInnes would prove a better one.

In baseball the matter of a few feet often spells the difference between failure and success. It was the last-minute moving of a few feet that made possible the triple play pulled by Burns against Cleveland.

I was implying the bases in that game made the decisions on the play, and will never forget what the slight detail of moving a few feet in the right meant in the execution of the triple killings. Had Burns been playing his usual position the drive would have gone for a single, or better, and might have made a considerable difference in the final result. Cleveland was trailing at the time. Stephenson was on second base. Burns on first, Brower at bat and in the game.

So all you basketball fans who like clean sport, tie yourself to St. Anne's parish house tonight. Dancing will follow the game.

Friday evening the team will journey to Madison to play the Seminoles of Malden in St. John's High school. Truck leaves at 6.30 from the parish house. Frank Sawyer will have full charge of the game.

## ST. ANNE'S TO PLAY NASHUA TEAM TONIGHT

Tonight will witness a good basketball game when the strong Eagles of St. Anne's A. C. journey to Lowell to do battle with the fast travelling St. Anne's A. C. basketball team of Lowell. At the parish house on Kirk street.

The local boys are some great guns at the present time and are treating the fans to some real basketball. All the boys need is a little support.

With such men as Lawson, Collins, Twilley, Harrison, Kelley, Stiers, Alton, Fredlund, Larkin and Haggart and others, the team will hold its own with any amateur five that sees fit to meet them.

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## A Harvard Quality Beverage

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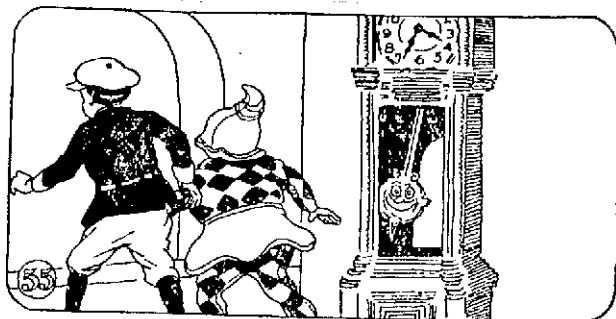




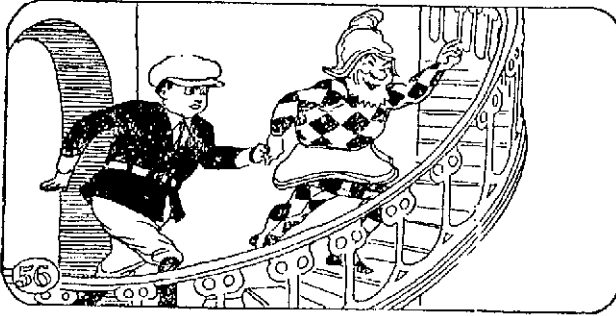




## Jack Daw's Adventures. Chapter 19



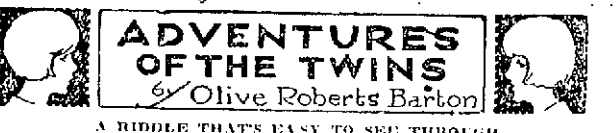
As the great clock ticked away, Ticky turned to Jack and said, "There you are, young man! Now you have seen just how a grandfather clock is made. Is there anything else you would like to see in the Tower of Ticks?" Jack hesitated and then replied, "Why, yes, I'd like to see some other kinds of clocks."



And almost as he said it, Ticky grabbed him by the hand and started walking rapidly up a winding stairway. "Where are we going now?" asked Jack. "Right up to Sleepy Castle," replied Ticky. "That's the only place you can see one of the members of the great clock family. You'll like this one."



Shortly Ticky had led Jack through a door and into a room where there were a lot of cats and beds. "Now, in order to meet this clock, you'll have to lie down and fall asleep," explained Ticky. So Jack flopped down on one of the beds. Soon he was fast asleep and he drifted into dreamland. (Continued.)



ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS by Olive Roberts Barton



"WHEN I'VE A SMUDGE UPON MY NOSE, YOU TELL ME!"

The Riddle Lady must have sat up late writing for the riddle she asked next day in Riddle Town was a long one. "Now think hard everybody," she said. "I'm pretending I'm a little girl talking to the thing you are to guess."

"When I've a smudge upon my nose, You tell me!"

When I've got mud upon my toes, You tell me!"

If I've torn my petticoat, Or dragged my muffer to the dirt, No matter if my feelings hurt, You tell me!"

"If I have grown an inch or two, You tell me!"

If there are freckles breaking through, You tell me!"

And if I make a snout at you, As quick as you can make one too, It doesn't matter what I do— You tell me!"

"If I've been very bad at school, You tell me!"

When'er I break the smallest rule, You tell me!"

I'm sure I can't guess how you know, Because to school you never go, I suppose my tell-tale eyes must show! Now tell me!"

"If I am lazy and won't work, You tell me!"

If I've a duty that I shirk, You tell me!"

"Now, then," said the Riddle Lady, "What is it?"

Nobody answered.

"I'll help you out!" said the Riddle Lady. "A wicked queen owned one once and asked if who was fairest of the fair. It was the only one that I ever heard of that could talk for itself."

"A looking glass!" cried Nancy.

"Right, my dear!" said the Riddle Lady. "And here is a dear little girl for you to keep in your pocket!"

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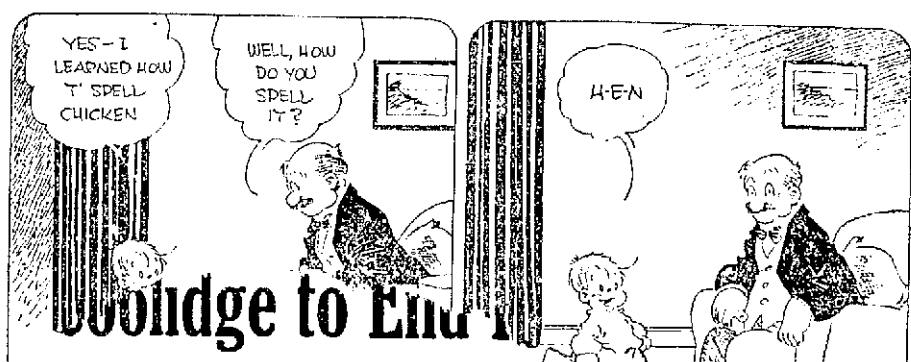
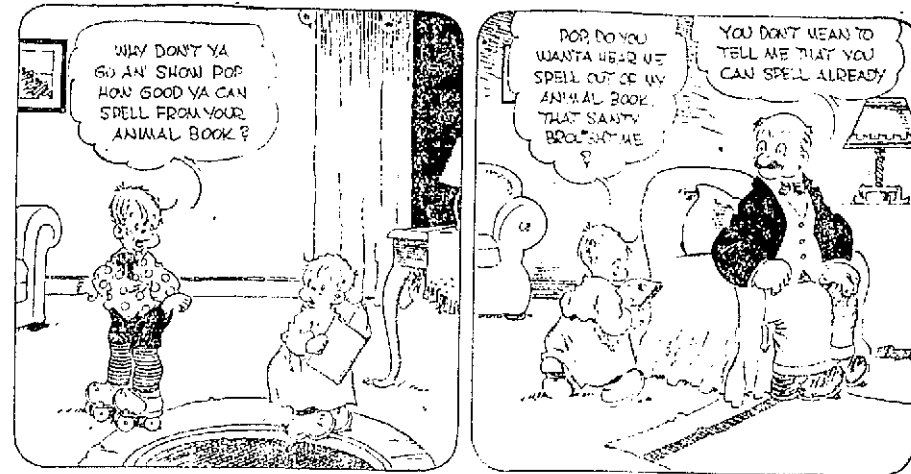
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## FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



## ANOTHER PEACE MOVE IN MEXICO

Report of Move to End Hostilities Comes on Eve of Federal Offensive

Judge Telles Arrives in Mexico City With Peace Proposal From Gen. Flores

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 26. (Via Laredo function, by the Associated Press.)—

pon the eve of federal offensives against the rebellious forces command-

by Gen. Enrique Estrada and Man-

uel Flores in the state of Jalisco and

the state of Oaxaca, reports are

in circulation of a peace move.

The reports say the author of the

effort toward peace is Gen. Angel

Telles, Governor Sinaloa, a presidential

candidate.

According to unconfirmed reports

which are given prominence in Exce-

lsior, Judge Manuel Telles, heading a

mission from Sinaloa, has arrived

Mexico City with the Flores peace

proposal.

After conferring with General Es-

trada at Guadalajara, Judge Telles is

said to have been in wireless com-

munication with General Mayagaitte and

Castro, leader of the revolt.

Details of the reported

peace move could not be learned.

Judge Telles was

seen yesterday for the

purpose of directing the

national exhibition

in Jalisco, which is

to be held in the

city of Guadalajara.

It is said that

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## REV. PATRICK HALLY DEAD

Former Lowell Priest Passed Away This Morning in Newburyport Hospital

Rev. Patrick J. Hally, for several

years the beloved pastor of St. Colum-

bach's church in this city, died this morn-

ing at a Newburyport hospital, at the

age of 78 years, in failing health for

some time past. Fr. Hally underwent

an operation at Newburyport, but his

advanced years told heavily on his

weakened physique with the result that

he failed in a valiant attempt to rally,

and death claimed him this morning.

The funeral will probably be held next

Saturday.

Rev. Patrick J. Hally was born in

Waterford, Ireland, in 1845 and was or-

iginally a member of the Society of

St. Francis.

He was ordained a priest in 1870 and

was assigned to St. Columbach's church

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THE OLD HOME TOWN

# TRY TO OUST SUPT. MOLLOY AS SCHOOL BOARD SECRETARY

Three Members of Committee Vote for Miss Fannie A. Thompson—Mayor Donovan, Mr. Riley and Mrs. Pearson Vote for Molloy

The gauntlet, thrown down to the school committee just before election by Mrs. Gardner H. Pearson on the matter of the election of a permanent secretary of the board, was picked up last night, but the contest was short and ended in a draw when Supt. Hugh J. Molloy and Miss Fannie A. Thompson, clerk in the school department, each received three votes. Mr. Bruin did not express a choice, being recorded only as "present."

The attempt to elect a secretary was begun on motion of Mr. Mullin and there was only the opposition of Mr. Bruin in taking Mrs. Pearson's former motion from the table. Mr. Bruin declared the motion an idle one, that would serve no purpose.

On a roll call, Mr. Delaney, Mr. Mullin and Dr. Slaughter voted for Miss Thompson and Mr. Riley, Mrs. Pearson and Mayor John J. Donovan for Mr. Molloy and the matter remained in deadlock, with no further balloting requested.

The meeting developed considerable discussion relative to a report of a sub-committee on school buildings, which involved an alleged trip to Washington and was stations. The four members of the committee—Mr. Delaney, Mr. Slaughter, Mr. Mullin and Mr. Riley—said no such trip ever was planned, but the matter strongly insisted it had and reviewed a conference in his office at which he opposed any trip which would take the committee out of Massachusetts. The report finally was accepted and the committee dissolved.

The committee received and accepted with a vote of appreciation the resignation of Mrs. Lettie McElaster Hurd, a teacher at the Dummerston school.

Supt. Molloy presented a civil service list of eligible for position of clerk at the girls' vocational school. He said copies of the list were in the hands of the committee.

Mr. Delaney said he had received none and one or two other members added that their copies had been received in the mail only yesterday afternoon. They considered that too late to allow for sufficient study of the list.

The superintendent said copies of the list had been mailed from his office Monday afternoon and expressed the feeling that due care had been taken in the matter.

"I differ with you," said Dr. Slaughter, "I think in matters of this importance communications to members of the committee should be delivered by messenger."

Mr. Delaney voiced the same sentiment.

The superintendent said he did not deem the matter of pressing importance and reiterated that he felt his office had shown reasonable care in the method of notification.

The committee finally voted to hallo upon the names on the list.

On a roll-call vote Miss Winifred M. McDermott was elected to the clerkship. She received the votes of Mr. Delaney, Mrs. Pearson, Mr. Mullin and Mr. Slaughter.

Business Agent Henry L. Williams reported that the electric siren whistle secured on trial for a no-school signal is not satisfactory and asked for further authorization concerning a no-school signal.

He was authorized to make further investigation and secure another siren, either steam or electric, on adequate trial.

Dr. Emma E. Y. Slaughter, reporting for a sub-committee on buildings, reported concerning the much discussed trip to Washington, which the members of this sub-committee state never was considered. The report stated further that any stories concerning this alleged trip were not authorized by the sub-committee.

At the conclusion of the report, Mayor Donovan said:

"The information concerning the contemplated trip was given out from my office after the committee left there."

Considerable discussion followed during which Mr. Delaney, Mr. Riley and Dr. Slaughter all said they never made plans to go on any investigating trip. The mayor was just as insistent that plans had been made in his office.

ST. JOHN THE DIVINE SEVEN WOMEN RESCUED

50th Anniversary of the One N. Y. Fireman Took  
Founding of Cathedral  
Celebrated Today

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—The 50th anniversary of the founding of the cathedral of St. John the Divine and the 31st anniversary of the laying of the corner stone were celebrated today. The cathedral will, when completed, be the third largest in the world, being surpassed only by the St. Peter's at Rome and the Cathedral of Seville.

Among the speakers at exercises tonight will be Bishop William T. Manning and George W. Wickerson, former attorney general.

WOULD HOLD AUTO  
SHOW AT AUDITORIUM

Lowell's next automobile show will be held in the new Auditorium. It is the board of trustees to vote at their meeting next Monday evening. Application has been filed by executives of the Lowell Automobile association, who desire to hold the 1924 auto show in the Auditorium with many attractive additions to last year's program. The dates selected are Jan. 2 to Feb. 2. Cars to be displayed will be taken into the Auditorium by the stage entrance, special ramps covering the steps to be constructed to prevent possible damage.

RA BRODY Auctioneer  
7 Merrimack Street  
Tel. 6060

ASSIGNEE'S SALE

I will sell the entire stock and fixtures of the Weiss Shoe Store, Inc., located at 248 Middlesex Street, Lowell, Mass., consisting of shoes, shoes and rubbers, at public auction, in one lot, on Friday, December 28, 1923, at 11 A. M., at said store number 248 Middlesex Street. Per order  
SAMUEL FUDIM,  
Assignee for Benefit of Creditors.



## FINDS GRATIFICATION APPOINTMENT

Judge Thomas J. Farrel, all district court expression today over the appointment of Frederic B. Greenhalge of position of judge of the for Middlesex county.

Mr. Delaney moved that John Condon, janitor at the Edison school, in lieu of his great amount of work with the boys of his school in athletic teaching and coaching.

Mrs. Pearson declared a dangerous precedent is being established. "It is too to give these New Year's gifts," she said. "But if we take such action we will receive similar requests from all other janitors the very first of next year."

Mr. Bruin also opposed the motion at this late hour in the year.

The motion passed with the votes of Mr. Delaney, Mr. Mullin, Mr. Riley and Dr. Slaughter.

Dr. Slaughter moved that male teachers in the vocational school who hold college degrees and are entitled to first grade certificates, be placed upon the high school salary schedule.

Mrs. Pearson offered an amendment to take in women teachers in the vocational school who hold college degrees and are entitled to second grade certificates.

It was voted that men teachers in the vocational and continuation schools, entitled by college degrees and certificates to teach in the high school, be placed on the same salary schedule as men teachers in the high school.

Mr. Mullin moved that the salary of Headmaster Henry B. Harris be increased from \$1400 to \$1500. It was voted down, 4 to 2. Those opposed were Mr. Bruin, Mrs. Pearson, Mr. Riley and the mayor.

Mr. Delaney called the attention of the committee to what cooking classes are costing without any return. He presented figures to show that these classes cost \$231.60 per month for nine months.

Adjusted at 3.50 p. m. to meet again on the evening of Jan. 3, 1924.

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# 17 DIE IN WORST INSTITUTIONAL FIRE IN ILLINOIS' HISTORY

Wooden Pavilion Known as "Death House" at Hospital for Insane in Chicago Burned—Patients Break Away in Excitement—Dozen Listed as Dangerous at Large

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—Seventeen persons were killed last night when a swiftly spreading fire of unknown origin destroyed an old wooden pavilion known as the "death house" at the state hospital for the insane at Dunning, at the northwestern edge of Chicago. Fourteen of the dead are known to have been patients in various stages of insanity. Three others were E. J. Caraker and his wife, attendants, and Lowell, their eight-year-old son.

Only one patient has been identified. The bodies of the others were burned beyond recognition.

About 35 of the patients, including several of a violent type, broke away in the excitement of burning more than 500 inmates from the danger zone. Several were taken back to the institution after hard struggles with the police.

A dozen supposedly dangerous patients were reported still at large early today.

It was the worst institutional fire in Illinois' history. The building, witnesses said, seemed to go up in one great burst of flame. It was given the name "death house" when it was the property of Cook county because of its flimsy construction, it was said. It was 800 feet long and 100 feet wide, one story high at one end and rose to two stories at the other. It housed approximately 600 patients suffering with the milder forms of insanity.

A number of the patients were epileptics, usually in full control of their faculties, and they aided in rescuing helpless after one of their number given the alarm.

Approximately 3500 patients and the shriek of the fire alarm siren threw them into a frenzy. Attendants battled to drive them back from flaming windows and to quiet them, while the flames consumed the wooden structure. The cries of the charges led past the buildings housing the more dangerous patients, excited them all the more, and for an hour the scene was truly one of hell.

More than a dozen Chicago fire department companies responded in a general alarm, but their apparatus was stalled in the mud of the institution grounds and it was with great difficulty that the fire was fought. Bed tickings, blankets and clothing were laid in the mud to provide traction for the fire trucks and some literally were brought up by man power.

Many Heroic Rescues

It was thought at first that all persons had been taken alive from the burning building and it was only when firemen began exploring the smoldering ruins that the first body was found. Some of the patients broke from the lines being herded to safety and dashed back into the flames to obtain Christmas presents and other possessions, but it was thought all again had been brought out. Three patients locked themselves in a closet and were saved by police officers. There were a number of other heroic rescues by the police, attendants and inmates suffering with the milder degree of insanity.

Blame for the deaths in the flimsy building will be fixed by a joint investigation of five official agencies working with Oscar Wolff, Cook county coroner.

U. S. WORSTED CO. OMTS  
QUARTERLY DIVIDEND

Directors of the United States Worsted Co. have omitted the quarterly dividend of \$1.00 on preferred stock. It was announced this morning.

Investors in U. S. W. Co. said to have been prepared for the dividend omission at this time and no "shocks" were recorded. Dividends had been paid in the last two quarters in 6 per cent scrip, which is not exactly "cash money."

Some investors of note have been disposing of considerable quantities of United States Worsted holdings. Fifty-two shares of first preferred were sold in Boston yesterday for an average of 90¢.

Twenty-five Hamilton Manufacturing Co. shares were also sold at public auction in Boston yesterday for 16½¢—a drop of four points from a previous sale one week ago. Shares of Lowell Bleachery were quoted at 123¢.

Experiments are being made with automobile bodies of compressed paper.

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The stock comprises an extensive line of automobile accessories of every description, the best known and most popular makes, and consists in part of, surplus bumpers for all makes of cars; Walker automobile jacks in various sizes and styles; Goodyear motor-meters of the latest type; monogram look tubes in practically all sizes; Goodyear and India cork tires and inner tubes in large quantities; rims and rim parts; tire oils of spark plugs and cores in all styles, complete stock of high grade brake linings; fan belts; cylinder head gaskets; Wood tie chains and truck chains in all sizes; motor tools in large quantities; tool kits; Wabco Worcester wrenches; wrench sets; an extensive line of piston rings in all sizes; wheel pullers; copper tubing, hose pipe; oils and greases of the best quality in cans of all sizes; grease guns; all guns; vulcanizing sets; individual repair equipments; ameters; valve lifters; headlights, nickel plated; tail lights and brackets; stoplights; lamps; bulbs; aluminum step plates; rubber step mats; Holst-ster-warms, rear end parts for Ford cars; an extensive line of auto soap and polishes; emulsions and undercoatings; Simunig cleaner and polish; about 200 lbs. sponge grease; 20 gallons Franklin motor oil; 50 gallons light oil; 50 gallons heavy oil; 20 gallons "Gulf" light oil; 30 gallons "Gulf" motor-cycle oil; 5 gallons "Gulf" medium oil; 2-3 bid. auto soap; and a large quantity of nuts, bolts, washers and small repair parts and numerous other articles of value. The fixtures are all in excellent condition, and include in part as follows: Rooststr time recorder clock, Burrows electric adding machine on roller stand; Wabco adding machine on roller stand; Edison dictaphone; 3 ft. ft. showcases with adjustable shelves and bevelled tops, having sliding glass doors; these cases were built by the Quincy Show Case Co. and are suitable for any line of business; National cash register having four cash drawers and cabinet stand, in perfect order; 2 flat top desks; 1 forty inch roll top desk; 1 swivel arm chair; 1 swivel desk chair; 1 swivel typewriter chair; 2 office chairs, office table; office safe; 12 inches high; wall cabinet for parts, having three sections, with 70 galvanized iron drawers in each section; 6 Lupton portable steel cabinets for parts; 4 ft. 6 in. counter; 3 ft. 6 in. counter, having compartments beneath; 7 ft. 6 in. counter; 11 ft. counter, 23 ft. wall counter with shelving; 12 ft. wall rack with shelving; 15 ft. 6 in. rack; iron display rack for oils and greases; bumper display rack; 3 ft. portable rack; 5 electric light store fixtures and stove.

The Searles and Ives Equipment includes 5 5/8" Amalg oil pump; Weaver the spreader; Weaver the spreader; auto tube vulcanizer with weights, 18 tubes; vice and work bench; vulcanizing tools; air compressor complete, air tank, water tank, pump and 2 h. p. electric motor) manufactured by the Warner Electric Manufacturing Company.

The Pelton-Offer establishment is the oldest and was always known as the most complete accessory store north of Boston. Its stock was always of the best and has been kept thoroughly up to the minute. The opportunity is hereby presented to the dealer and individual as well, and particularly to Ford owners, to purchase this high grade stock and equipment in individual lots at public sale.

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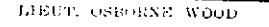
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WHEN BODY WAS EXHUMED

Scene in the Père Lachaise cemetery, Paris, at exhumation of the body of Philippe Daudet, grandson of the great French poet and novelist, Alphonse Daudet, and son of Leon Daudet, statesman. Philippe was found dead recently and a verdict of suicide was returned, but his father, "convinced" that his boy had been murdered by anarchists, compelled authorities to exhume the body and hunt for proof of his suspicions. The case may develop into an international scandal. Inset shows Philippe.

## HELD ANNUAL DANCANT "TEA COZY" FOR NEW YEAR'S GIFT IN LIBERTY HALL

The annual dance of the Merrimack Valley Under-graduate club of Holy Cross college, was held last night in Liberty hall, Memorial Auditorium, and was largely attended by young members of the social set. The hall was attractively decorated with Holy Cross pennants and royal purple. Music was furnished by Simmons' orchestra of Boston.

The following is a list of patrons and patronesses: Hon. and Mrs. John Jacob Rogers, Hon. and Mrs. Dennis J. Murphy, Dr. and Mrs. Timothy J. Halloran, Dr. and Mrs. Francis A. Flanagan, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick J. Crowley, Mr. and Mrs. Michael P. Donohue, Mrs. Margaret E. McDonough, Miss Alice T. Lee, Leo A. King, Thomas A. Ginty, Charles D. Foley, Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCarthy, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Ryan, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick J. Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. D. Murray Cummings, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Carmichael, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. O'Hair and Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. Rourke.

The committee in charge of the affair consisted of Frederic L. Crowley, '25, chairman; Harry L. McDonough, '24, president; William F. Hayes, '25, vice-president; William H. McManis, '25, secretary; and James E. Geary, '26, treasurer.

At 6:30 o'clock this evening, they will be a meeting of all local Holy Cross alumni in Marie's restaurant.

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## VISITED CHELMSFORD STREET HOSPITAL

The hearts of the 400 or more inmates of the Chelmsford Street hospital were cheered on Sunday afternoon by the visit made to that institution of the members of the Vesper guild of the Sacred Heart parish with gifts of sweets and useful articles, such as handkerchiefs. Under the leadership of Miss Kathleen Jennings, carols were sung to the patients and visits were paid to the different wards with a message of joy for Christmas time and the presentation of the gifts. The arrangements for this annual trip are made by the executive committee of the Vesper guild and all members turn out to do their part in spreading happiness among the inmates of the hospital. The officers of the guild are: Agnes Kirwin, president; Margaret Llane, vice president; Margaret Blackburn, secretary; Blanche Boyle, treasurer.

## FLOWERED HOUSE

Large flowers of black velvet are applied to a white organ overhouse, which makes it an ideal companion for a black velvet skirt.

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## HUB HOSIERY MILLS PLAN EXPANSION

Lowell branch of the well known Hub Hosiery mills occupying the entire fourth floor of the building at No. 87 Middle street, is planning immediate expansion in order to meet demands for the Lowell product of infants' hosiery of various styles and staple goods.

The Hub products have been popular sellers on eastern dry goods markets for many months and demands are increasing.

Supt. Emile Trudel said today that arrangements are being made to acquire the entire third floor on Middle street for additional machinery, not only because of expanding business, but because of the crowded conditions.

now the rule in meeting production requirements.

Two hundred operatives are now on the Hub concern's payroll, a substantial increase over the number steadily employed last season. Every machine in the preparation of the textile materials for the manufacture of stocks of both cotton and wool and in the various grades of the mercerized and silks, is crowded to capacity today. Full week runs are the regular thing and one department in the mill is being run nights, although this night work is not desired.

The local factory is a branch of the Hub mills headquarters located on Waterford street, Boston. There is another branch in Bath, Me., and all three establishments are running "full" today.

While other Lowell mills turning out hosiery in all lines have been com-

## PUBLIC SERVICE BOARD HOLDS MEETING

The clerk of the public service board was instructed by the board at its meeting yesterday afternoon to instruct the city solicitor to take steps to default the bond of \$1810 furnished by F. A. Donnelly to guarantee the completion of the contract awarded him some time ago for the erection of a new fence on the Moody street bridge. This act in the contract has expired and to permit the board to have the work done by other parties.

The meeting, the last of the year, was called to order at 4 o'clock with all members of the board present. The principal business taken up was the approval of all known bills outstanding against the departments under its jurisdiction.

A communication from the city council requesting an estimate of the cost of extending the water supply system on Bridge street from First to Seventh streets was referred to the city engineer.

Bills against the various departments as follows were approved: Street

maintenance, \$2718.20; sewer maintenance, \$465.25; ashes and waste, \$4112.91; street special, \$219; bridges, \$1120; macadam, \$210.73; street lighting, \$11,881.94; sewer construction, \$257.15; water department, \$3067.35.

With the approval of these bills it was stated that all known bills against the departments were approved with the exception of one for \$754.77 against the water department from the street department for the repair of paving broken by the former department. It was also stated that all departments were expected to finish the year within their appropriations.

A discussion of the unapproved bill against the water department brought forward a statement from Supt. Gardner of the water works that he believed \$45 or \$50 a yard as charged was excessive. Engineer Kearney upheld the labor costs in the bill but the public service board voted to cut it in halves and this was done.

The meeting adjourned at 5:10 to next Thursday at 4 o'clock.

Prior to the meeting the members of the board with the mayor and Assistant Superintendent of Streets P. Joseph Garrity attended a demonstration of tractors and snow removal machines in Cambridge.

## RED TRIMMING

Costumes for Palm Beach show a most interesting use of brilliant red for trimming in gowns of cotton and silk as well.

planning of trade stagnation, the Hub factory on Middle street has been running full time all winter, specializing on infants' lines exclusively. Business in these lines has been excellent thus far and the future is very promising, Supt. Trudel said today.

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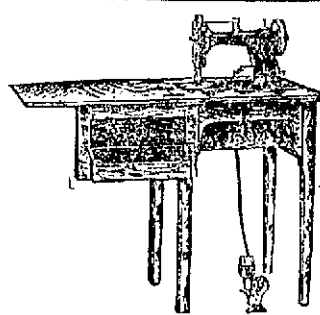
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## GOV. BAXTER NOT TO SEEK RE-ELECTION IN MAINE

AUGUSTA, Me., Dec. 27.—Governor Percival P. Baxter somewhat unexpectedly today announced that he will not be a candidate for the republican nomination for governor in the primaries next June.

This leaves the field to Mayor Albert R. Day of Bangor, A. S. Crawford of Caribou, and State Senator Ralph C. Brewster of Portland, who have announced their candidacies for the nomination.

Governor Baxter has one more year to serve. As president of the senate he became chief executive upon the death of Governor Frederick H. York of Bangor just 25 days after his inauguration in January, 1921.

## ACTIVITIES AT THE GIRLS' CITY CLUB

After a week of extensive preparation which time regular club activities were suspended, announcements were today given out that regular sessions of the Girls City Club will be resumed beginning this evening at 7 o'clock when the dance committee will meet with Miss Winifred Walsh, residing at 1000 Commercial street, presiding. At a meeting of the executive board held at 7:30 o'clock plans for the coming year will be made.

The annual hike will be held tomorrow for the group of girls leaving the room at 11.

The regular invitation dance will be held Saturday evening and will be in the form of a New Year party. The old as well as new club members, together with their gentlemen friends, are cordially invited to attend and it is hoped that all who can will attend that the affair may prove as successful as former events of this kind.

At the supper to be served in the club rooms on Sunday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock Santa Claus will distribute the gifts now hanging from the well-laden tree in the rooms. Members wishing to attend the supper are asked to notify headquarters.

Miss Sullivan, president of the club will entertain the members at a New Year party to be held at her home Monday evening and all members are invited to attend.

## INSTALLATION OF DOUBLE RAIL CURVE

No attempt will be made by the street railway company to install the double-rail curve at the corner of Dutton and Merrimack streets to replace the present single-rail curve and cross-over this winter because of the lateness of the season and the inability of the company to get the necessary special rail at the present time.

Manager McCormick of the street railway company said today that the work would be one of the first jobs done in the spring, however, and should be done inside of a week at the most after work is started.

The installation of the street department at the present time required in cutting back the sidewalk at this corner to widen the distance between the car tracks and the sidewalks to permit automobiles to pass electric cars on the street. City Engineer Kearney was in communication recently with Manager McCormick concerning the installation of the double-rail curve and asked that the work be done this winter but, for the reasons given above, Manager McCormick had to refuse his request.

## COMPLAIN AGAINST SLAUGHTER METHODS

The methods used by some residents of Chelmsford in the slaughter of hogs have resulted in numerous complaints to the board of health of that town within the past month. Recently, Meat Inspector Hall of Chelmsford and Harry Baker, representative of the Lowell Humane society, visited several farms where slaughtering was in progress and the latter reports that methods used are barbaric.

An effort is now being made to have these farmers take their hogs to a regular slaughter house, where up-to-date methods of killing are in vogue. If this is not successful, steps will be taken to compel the farmers to kill their animals in such a way that torture will be eliminated.

## PSYCHOLOGISTS AT MADISON FOR MEETING

MADISON, Wis., Dec. 27.—Psychologists representing more than 100 American universities and colleges are here today to attend the opening of the 32nd annual meeting of the American Psychological association. Nationally known psychologists will deliver papers on various subjects of psychological study.

One of the principal topics expected to come before the meeting is that of certification of psychologists on a plan similar to the licensing of physicians. Leaders of the association are said to favor such a plan to offset false psychologists, who are said to circulate throughout the country.

## FUNERAL NOTICES

**TETREAU.**—The funeral of Joseph J. B. Tetreau will take place Saturday morning at 8 o'clock from the home of his sister, Mrs. Joseph E. Tetreau, 40 Baker street. A funeral high mass will be celebrated at 9 o'clock at St. Jeanne d'Arc church. Friends are invited to attend. Burial in St. Joseph's cemetery. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers Amodeo Archambault and Sons.

**RILEY.**—Died in this city, Dec. 27, at her home, 63 Exeter street, Mrs. Catherine C. (Crawley) Riley. The funeral will take place Saturday morning from the home and there will be a solemn high funeral mass at St. Michael's church at 10 o'clock. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. The arrangements are in charge of Funeral Director James W. McKenna Sons.

## DEATHS

**HAYWARD.**—Rev. Edward Farwell Hayward, pastor of the First Lutheran church of Chicago and author of numerous poems and essays, died Saturday night at his home, 12 Indian park, Chicago. Mr. Hayward was born in Illinois, May 1851. He attended Tufts college for two years and then studied at Harvard divinity school, from which he obtained his degree in 1874. He was ordained at Montreal in 1874 and after several years' work in the ministry he became pastor of the First Lutheran church in South Boston in 1882. He first went to Chicago in 1886, leaving in 1890 to go to Madison, Wis., where he remained in 1905. He leaves his wife, Ellen (Cross) Hayward and two sons, Rev. Laurence Hayward of Newburyport and Adrian Hayward of Brookfield.

**MCNEELY.**—Patrick McNeely, a resident of this city for the past 25 years and an esteemed member of St. Michael's church, died this morning at his home, 22 Third street, after a long illness. He was a well-known member of the A.O.U.W. and among his associates was a host of friends. He leaves in mourning his loss his wife, Mrs. Mary (Murray) McNeely, and two brothers, Hugh and Philip J. McNeely, both of Lowell, and one nephew, Harriet McNeely of Lowell, Mass.

**RILEY.**—Catherine C. (Crawley) Riley, beloved wife of Thomas H. Riley, a well-known employee of the street department, died this morning at her home, 63 Exeter street, after a long illness. She was a loving, kind and charitable nature. Mrs. Riley was an ideal type of wife and mother and her family will have the sympathy of large circles of friends who will mourn her demise. Besides her husband she leaves one daughter, Margaret, her mother, Mrs. Margaret Cross, and three sisters, Mrs. Martin Downs, Mrs. Bernard Morris and Mrs. Thomas (Greeley) also the late Mrs. John and James Grove, all of this city.

**TETREAU.**—Joseph J. B. Tetreau, a resident of Lowell for the last four years and previous to that a resident of Lowell for 40 years, died yesterday at St. John's hospital, after a long illness sustained in a railroad accident. His age was 51 years. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Florida (Folenta) Tetreau, one son, Jean Tetreau, a resident of Lowell, one sister, Mrs. Joseph B. Jernery of this city, and three brothers, Louis of Williamsville, Conn., Alphonse of Lowell, Mass., and Napoleon of Lowell, Mass. The body was removed to the home of his sister, 40 Baker street, by Undertakers Amodeo Archambault and Sons.

**ZYLINSKI.**—Stanislaw Zylinski died Tuesday at St. John's hospital, aged 36 years. He is survived by his wife, Catherine (Wlez) Zylinski and three sons, Stanislaw, Frank and Boleslaw Zylinski. The body was removed to his home, 60 Perry street, by Undertaker Joseph J. Sadowski.

**REID.**—Mary E. Reid, daughter of Warren T. and Agnes E. Reid, died yesterday afternoon at the home of her parents, 21 Epping street, and 1 year and 2 days. Besides her parents, she leaves two brothers, Warren R. and Allen T. Reid.

**APOSTOLAKOS.**—Mrs. Stamata Apostolakis died last night at the Lowell hospital, aged 82 years. The body was removed to the chapel of Funeral Director Joseph Albert.

## FUNERALS

**KING.**—The funeral of the late Joseph D. King, a well known and much respected resident, took place this morning at 8:30 o'clock from his home, 67 Bartlett street and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends. The cortege proceeded to the immaculate congregation church, where at 2 o'clock a funeral high mass was sung by Rev. Owen McQuaid, O. M. I. Among those present at the mass were many of the older residents who knew King deceased as they did from his younger days, esteemed him for his upright character and his Christian life. The choir under the direction of Mr. Charles P. Smith rendered the Gregorian chant and the solos were sustained by Mrs. Hugh Walker and Mr. James E. Donnelly. Mrs. Walker presided at the organ. There were beautiful floral tributes and a substantial bouquet. The bearers, William, Walter, John and Arthur King, nephews of deceased, and William Beardon and Edmund J. Cheney, of the organ. Fr. McQuaid read the committal prayers and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell and Sons.

**THOMPSON.**—Funeral services for James A. Thompson were held at his home yesterday afternoon. A solemn York lodge, A. F. and A. M. was represented by Albert A. Ludwig, W. M., Arthur E. Dear, S. W., John H. Prescott, J. W., Sewall P. Pitman, secretary, Rev. Richard Peters, chaplain, and George D. Crowell, marshal. This delegation also holding the service of lodge at the home and grave. Mount Herch Arch chapter was represented by William A. Parker and Edward W. Donley, Pilgrim Commandery, Knights Templars, was represented by Frank Johnson, Ernest E. Ferlinzer and Elmore L. McChesney. The bearers were A. S. Adams, J. P. Thompson, Dr. William R. Thompson and A. G. Thompson. Burial was in the family lot in Oak Grove cemetery, Medford, under the direction of Undertaker Hiram C. Brown.

**SISTER LUCILLA.**—The funeral of Sister Lucilla took place this morning from the chapel of the Sisters of Notre Dame at 8 o'clock. Solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. John J. McQuaid, O. M. I. Rev. Joseph J. Curran was deacon, Rev. James A. Supple, sub-deacon and Rev. Thomas J. McDonough, master of ceremonies. The choir under the direction of Mr. Michael Johnson sang the Gregorian mass. Miss Frances Tighe, Mr. Daniel S. O'Brien and Mr. John J. McNabb sustained the solos. Mr. Michael Johnson was at the organ. The bearers were Messrs. James J. Brown, Dr. Patrick J. Bagley, Joseph E. Carroll and John J. Mahoney. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery where Rev. Dr. McQuaid, assisted by Rev. Fr. Martin, Rev. Fr. Supple and Rev. Fr. Martin, read the committal prayers. Undertaker Peter H. Savage's Son was in charge of funeral arrangements.

**MILLS.**—The funeral of Mrs. Cellina (Lathams) Mills, wife of Freeman Mills, took place this morning at 8 o'clock from her home, 109 Shaw street, and was largely attended. A funeral high mass was celebrated at 9 o'clock at St. Jeanne d'Arc church by Rev. Lucien Brassard, O. M. I. The choir, under the direction of Sister Belanger, rendered the Gregorian chant. Miss Bella LaVigne presided at the organ. The bearers were John Sears, James Hutton, David Bergeault, Leo Kenney, Harry Mills and the Goldthwait. There was a wealth of beautiful flowers. Burial was in the family lot in St. Joseph's cemetery, where Rev. Fr. Brassard, O. M. I., read the committal prayers. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers Amodeo Archambault and Sons.

**ST. ARNAULD.**—The funeral of Napoleon St. Arnauld took place this morning from his home, 41 Melrose street. A high mass was sung in Notre Dame de Lourdes church at 10 o'clock by Rev. Joseph Lewis, O. M. I. The choir was under the direction of Sister Belanger. Miss Bella LaVigne was the organist. The bearers were Romeo Jacques, Alexandre Richard, Arthur Huxman and James McKenna. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery, where Rev. Lucien Brassard, O. M. I., read the committal prayers. Arrangements were in charge of Funeral Director Joseph Albert.

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NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Tadado Suganuma, Japanese holder of the Junior national 182 professional billiard championship, will defend his title in a 1200 point match, beginning tonight, against Jean Burne, Austrian champion and runner-up in the recent tournament at Detroit. Blocks of 100 points will be played tonight. Friday and Saturday.

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The trees, the hills, the sky,  
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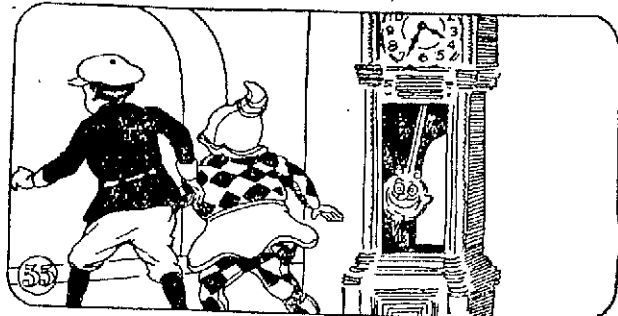




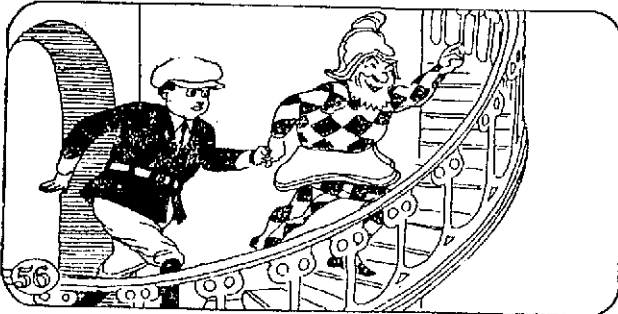




## Jack Daw's Adventures. Chapter 19



As the great clock ticked away, Ticky turned to Jack and said, "There you are, young man! Now you have seen just how a grandfather clock is made. Is there anything else you would like to see in the Tower of Ticks?" Jack hesitated and then replied, "Why, yes, I'd like to see some other kinds of clocks."



And almost as he said it, Ticky grabbed him by the hand and started walking rapidly up a winding stairway. "Where are we going now?" asked Jack. "Right up to Sleepy Castle," replied Ticky. "That's the only place you can see one of the members of the great clock family. You'll like this one."



Shortly Ticky had led Jack through a door and into a room where there were a lot of cots and beds. "Now, in order to meet this clock, you'll have to lie down and fall asleep," explained Ticky. So Jack flopped down on one of the cots. Soon he was fast asleep and he drifted into dreamland. (Continued.)

## ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

by Olive Roberts Barton



WHEN I'VE A SMUDGE UPON MY NOSE, YOU TELL ME!

The Riddle Lady must have sat up late writing for the riddle she asked next day in Riddle Town was a long one. "Now think hard everybody," she said. "I'm pretending I'm a little girl, talking to the thing you are to guess. When I've a smudge upon my nose."

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If there are freckles breaking through, You tell me!  
And if I make a snoot at you, As quick as when you make one too, It doesn't matter what I do, You tell me!"

"If I've been very bad at school, You tell me!  
When I break the smallest rule, You tell me!  
I'm sure I can't guess how you know, Because to school you never go, I guess my tell-tale eyes must show! Now tell me!"

"If I am lazy and won't work, You tell me!  
If I've a duty that I shirk, You tell me!"

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